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Purpureum Grandiflorum

Catawbiense album



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**THE ORIGINAL  
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4101 SONJANA (U.S. PLANT PAT. 1691) Handsome, ever-bearing strawberries that climb over 4 feet! Juicy, plump fruits from Spring to frost.

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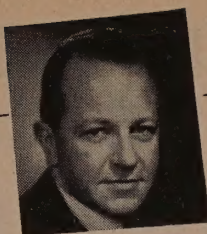
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4154 1 plant each:

Bright Red, Pure White  
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**BRECK'S OF BOSTON**

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Dear Gardening Friend:

Breck's is proud to be among the first to introduce the lovely Butterfly Glads to America's gardeners! I was fascinated by their beauty when I first saw them growing in the fields of England and Holland, during a business visit several years ago.

Last year, we offered several varieties. Gardeners were intrigued! They planted Butterfly Glads by the thousands, and reported that they were thrilled with their graceful forms and delicate colors!

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We have underlined those varieties which our experts consider to be the best in their class. These varieties have been selected by actual trial, under conditions similar to those in your own garden.

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Yours for better gardens,

*Luther A. Breck, Jr.*

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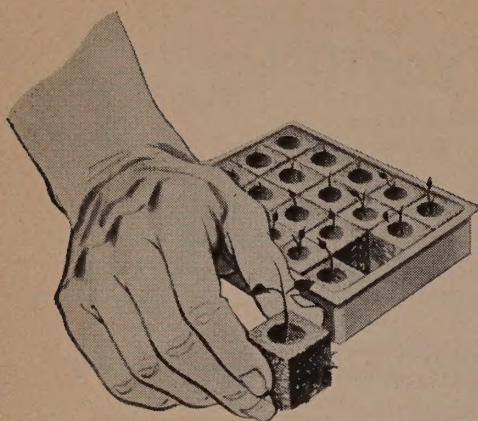
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NEW! Amazing 1" cubes of fibrous organic plant food—each block of 20 in its own bright, colorful plastic tray—speed germination of seedlings—give them hardy, vigorous roots! Some actually ready for transplant within 5 days! Material holds tremendous amount of water—without crumbling! Equally effective for indoor or outdoor planting! So easy to use . . . germinate blocks right in their trays, in individual pots or in garden. No setback come transplanting time—just put cube and all into your garden! Postpaid.

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3423 540 Fertl-Cubes.	17.50
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Enjoy a longer garden season, flowers and vegetables weeks ahead of others! Kit includes 5 waterproof boxes, 11x3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>x2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in., large pkg. Mica-Gro, 36 Vita Plant Bands, 3 packets of free seeds and complete instructions . . . everything you need to give your garden a head start! Select any 3 of these 25¢ specialties FREE! Postpaid.

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2163 Kit, **1.79**  
Save on 3 kits! Only **5.19**



### EEE-ZEE SEED SOWER

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2600 Eee-Zee Seed Sower. Postpaid.

**1.25**

### NEW! TROPIC GROWER With Automatic Moisturizer

Take the guesswork out of growing African Violets, other temperamental house plants! Attractive, scientifically designed 3-in-1 planter creates ideal growing conditions by providing constant controlled moisture, high humidity, abundant root aeration! Plastic collar prevents stem rot, too! Moisture-holding, root-aiding 3-in. peat moss pot in polystyrene planter with unique automatic moisturizer base 8<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" diam.

2525 Tropi-Grower. Postpaid.

**2.98**

### BRECK'S MICA-GRO

Ideal for starting seeds and rooting cuttings! Breck's Mica-Gro (vermiculite) absorbs and holds water like a sponge, is completely free from all bacteria, fungi, insects! Use it in place of soil or sand, or with sand in equal parts. Mica-Gro's record of preventing damping-off of seedlings is sensational! Use as a storage medium for summer bulbs; excellent soil conditioner!

2146 1/2 Peck Bag. Ppd. 50¢

### "NODAMOFF" SPHAGNUM MOSS

Finely ground for safe and easy seed starting! No danger of over-watering or damping-off. Sphagnum moss retains great quantities of water, holds it in reserve until needed. Pulverized, lightweight . . . valued for its spongy, absorptive quality. Contains plant tissue that makes it particularly good for Petunias, Snapdragons, other slow starters. Complete instr.

3387 10 oz. Sphagnum Moss.

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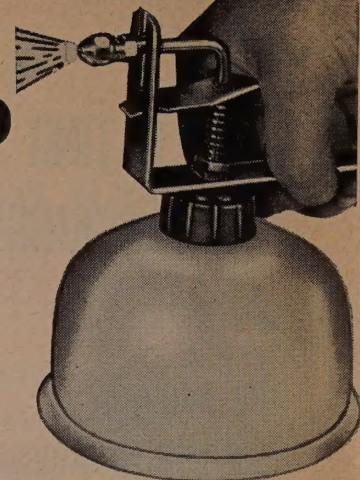
3389L 2 bu. Moss. Postpaid. **5.00**

### PURE, LONG-FIBERED SPHAGNUM MOSS

Great for planting wherever moisture and aeration are important! Use for window boxes, hanging baskets, flats, gardens. Is especially good for hard-to-keep-moist plants. Ideal transplanting medium or for rooting bulbs and cuttings.

3390 Moss. 7-oz. Postpaid. **1.25**

3391L Moss. 2 Cu. Ft. Postpaid. **3.95**



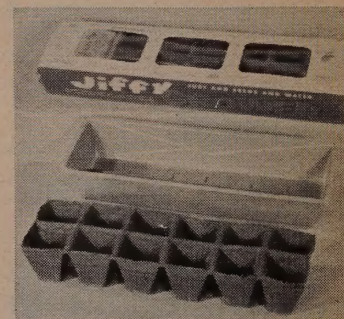
### MULTI-PURPOSE FOG SPRAYER

Gives atomizer action with one-hand ease . . . releases a fine, soaking spray that's gentle to delicate seedlings, house plants, fragile leaves! The unbreakable polyethylene container resists acid, alkali. Heavy duty, nickel-plated brass parts. Use also for any non-residue sprays . . . moth-proofing solutions, insecticides, germicides, cleaning solvents, room deodorizers. Postpaid.

2659 10-oz. Sprayer. **5.45**

2660 16-oz. Sprayer. **5.95**

2661 32-oz. Sprayer. **6.45**



### JIFFY-GROWER

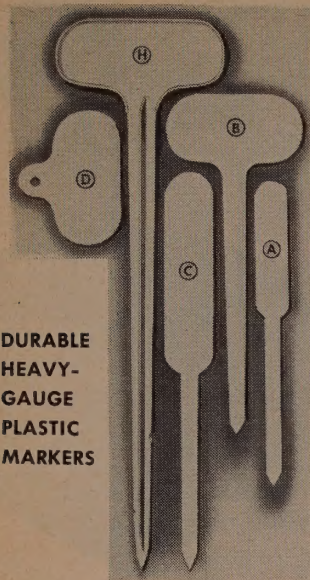
New convenient, easy way to start plants early indoors . . . end transplant set-back! You get 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>x4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" plastic tray, twelve 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" sq. Jiffy-Pots, plastic germinator bag. Fill Pots with vermiculite (included), add 2 or 3 seeds, tap tray lightly to settle seed. Insert tray of pots into plastic bag that acts like a greenhouse . . . holds moisture to speed germination! Remove bag when seeds sprout; plant pot and all in garden.

2900 Jiffy-Grower. Ppd. **79¢**



BRECK'S  
MICA-GRO





**DURABLE  
HEAVY-  
GAUGE  
PLASTIC  
MARKERS**

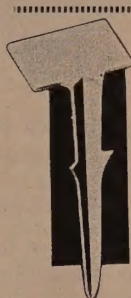
## LIFETIME PLANT MARKERS

Easy-to-mark, white heavy-gauge plastic labels for marking all garden or house plants, bulbs, shrubs, roses, etc. Permanent, re-usable, easy to read.

(A) 4½ in.	
2806 Pkg. 100. Postpaid.	1.25
2807 Pkg. 500. Postpaid.	5.50
(B) 2x5 in.	
2809 Pkg. 100. Postpaid.	2.75
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(C) 6 in.	
2812 Pkg. 100. Postpaid.	2.25
2813 Pkg. 500. Postpaid.	10.00
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2816 Pkg. 500. Postpaid.	21.00
(D) 1x2 in. Tie on with copper wires included.	
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## WOOD POT & GARDEN LABELS, Painted.

	Pkg.	Size	Postpaid	Cost
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	2539	1000 4" x 5/8"	Postpaid	5.00
Wired 3½" x 5/8"	2540	100 5" x 5/8"	Postpaid	80¢
2536 Pkg. of 100	2541	1000 5" x 5/8"	Postpaid	5.50
Ppd. 80¢	2542	100 6" x 5/8"	Postpaid	85¢
2537 Pkg. of 1000. Postpaid.	2543	1000 6" x 5/8"	Postpaid	6.00
6.15	2544	100 8" x 7/8"	Postpaid	1.30
	2546	100 10" x 7/8"	Postpaid	1.45
	2548	100 12" x 1 1/8"	Postpaid	2.50



## "MARK IT" PLANT MARKERS

- Weather-proof
- Plastic
- Reusable

Don't be embarrassed when asked variety names! Indestructible, weatherproof grey-green plastic markers tell "what's where"! Mark them with ordinary pencil... erase names and use them year after year 2-in. writing square on 5-in. high stake, with anchors.

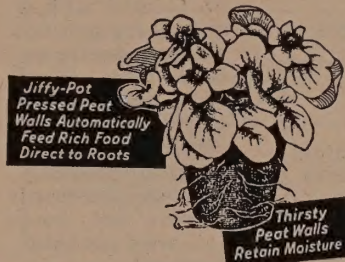
2925 Pkg. of 25. Ppd. 1.50  
2926 Pkg. of 100. Ppd. 5.50



## NEW PROPAGATOR and SEED STARTER with LIGHT

Now you can end overwatering or drying out problems when starting seeds or slips! Big, 22x11x3-in. polystyrene tray has 2-pint reservoir, with 2 fiberglass wicks to keep soil constantly and evenly moist! Trays won't rust, corrode or rot. Fluorescent light provides desirable artificial sunlight. With this all-inclusive set, you can grow seedlings anywhere!

2654L Complete Kit with Light. Ppd. 15.95  
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Set growth weeks ahead! Enjoy bigger plants, bulbs, cuttings faster... earlier, longer-lasting blooms! Start plants indoors in sterile, odorless, compressed peat Jiffy-Pots containing nourishing plant nutrients! No transplant setback—put pot and all in ground. All postpaid.

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2903 Pkg. of 24, 2¼"	69¢
2904 Pkg. of 50, 2¼"	1.39
2905 Pkg. of 100, 2¼"	2.29
2907 Pkg. of 12, 3"	59¢
2908 Pkg. of 50, 3"	2.19
2909 Pkg. of 100, 3"	3.59



## BRECK'S PERMA-NEST PLANT TRAYS

**Permanent Color! Nest to Store!  
Clean! Won't Ever Rust or Rot!**

So many advantages, you'll hardly believe it! Lightweight, easy to handle, leakproof—and they're practically indestructible! These versatile new green polystyrene plant trays will serve all your needs... from heavy greenhouse duty to displaying houseplants... or early seed and bulb starting! So attractive, they're ideal to set off prize African Violets, Begonias, Gloxinias to best advantage! Washable, always clean and sterile! Water-tight—no leakage or mud stains! Non-absorbent, so less watering is needed! Perfect for seed starting... drainage can be controlled. Trays nest inside one another for easy, compact storage when not in use. You'll find dozens of uses for them! Three largest sizes are 2¾" high; small size is 2½" high.

All are postpaid.

2613 4x8".	Each 25¢; 6, 1.45;
	12 for 2.65
2614 8x8".	Each 49¢; 3, 1.45;
	6 for 2.65
2615 12x8".	Each 59¢; 3, 1.75;
	6 for 3.25
2616 22x11".	Each 1.98; 2, 3.50;
	4 for 6.95
2620 Set of 4, one each of first four sizes above.	2.95
2617 19x6x3½".	Each 1.50;
	3 for 4.00; 6 for 7.75
2618 13x15x3½".	Each 1.98;
	2 for 3.50; 4 for 6.95

## INDELIBLE BALL POINT PEN

For your garden labels! Permanently inscribes names of flowers, clearly and legibly... never wipes off!

2551 Pen. Postpaid. 3 for 1.00

## INDELIBLE GARDEN PENCIL

Write plant names permanently!

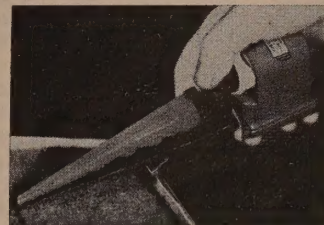
2549 Garden Pencils. Postpaid. 3 for 60¢; Doz., 2.00



## HOTKAPS

Protective bad-weather shields guard delicate seedlings from frost, storms, insects... let you plant them weeks earlier! Sunshine penetrates... cold doesn't. Setter included for quick application.

2920 Pkg. 20. Ppd.	1.25
2921L Pkg. 100. Ppd.	5.10
2922L Pkg. 250. Ppd.	8.35



## VIBRA-SEEDER

Saves time, work, seed! Electrically sows those tiny, costly seeds that are so hard to handle! Drops seeds one at a time, if you wish... closely or widely spaced! Endorsed by professional growers. Powered by single flashlight battery (included).

2599 Vibra-Seeder. Ppd. 3.25 5

**WALK ALONG SEEDER... see page 35.**

## 4-COLOR MARKING SET

Write garden labels permanently in black, red, blue or green with instant-dry waterproof ink—a striking, colorful way to tell "what's where"! Use also for identifying clothing, making signs, charts, writing on packages or temporary lettering of store windows. Set of 4 plastic pens, 4" long, with felt wicks, generous long-lasting ink reservoirs. Colorful protective caps identify the colors of ink.

6961 Marking Set. Postpaid. 99¢





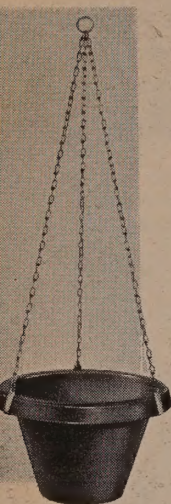
# BRECK'S SEEDLING HEADQUARTERS!



## LITE-RITE WINDOW PLANT SHELVES

Here's a charming way to display your indoor plants while giving them healthful "greenhouse" light! These smart black or gleaming brass shelves, 4 3/8 in. wide, install easily . . . keep your plants in even, growth-giving sunlight. For conventional, Colonial or modern windows. **Standard Set** includes two shelves (22-in. and 26-in. long) and four brackets (two 12-in. and two 22-in.). **Picture Window Set** has two shelves (30-in. and 34-in. long) with 4 brackets (two 12-in. and two 22-in.).

2830L Std. Set. Black. 4 lbs. . . . . 6.95  
 2831L Std. Set. Brass. 4 lbs. . . . . 7.95  
 2832L Pic. Window. Black. 5 lbs. . . . . 8.95  
 2833L Pic. Window. Brass. 5 lbs. . . . . 9.95

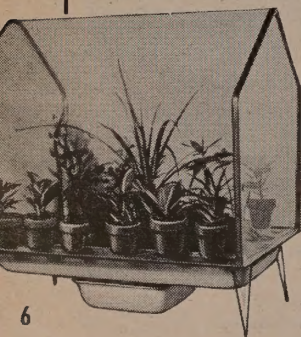


## JUMBO-SIZE HANGING JARDINIERE

Beautiful hanging jardiniere of molded fiber glass attractively displays larger plants indoors or out! A whopping 9" diam., 7" deep; suspends from 24" brass-finished chain (not included). Yours in a choice of decorator-inspired colors—lime-green or milk-white. Makes a conversation-piece of your favorite plants!

2765 Green. Ppd. . . . . 2.49  
 2766 White. Ppd. . . . . 2.49  
 2767 24" Chain. Ppd. 98¢

## INDOOR GREENHOUSE



Everything needed to grow healthy, blooming plants in your own home. 2x 1 1/2 x 2 ft. at peak. Glass-clear vinyl plastic, mounted on non-rust aluminum frame, covers a 22x11 in. leak-proof, polystyrene tray supported by metal stand. Watered constantly and evenly by 2 glass wicks feeding from 4x8 in. reservoir under the stand. Lightweight, easy to assemble.

2650L Greenhouse. Postpaid. . . . . 13.95  
 2651L Fluorescent Light, 18 inches . . . provides artificial sunshine. Ppd. . . . 8.95  
 2652 Daily Repeat Timer . . . turns light off-on automatically. Postpaid. . . . . 9.95



NEW!

19<sup>95</sup>

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Sturdy, 4 1/2 x 3 ft., all lifetime red-wood cold frame with three 36 x 18 in. sash. 3/4 in. frame assembles, dismantles in 3 minutes, using 8 non-rusting brass bolts. Sash covered with clear 'Sisal-Glaze' plastic, opens 4 ways for all-weather ventilation. Install permanently or store in little space for off-season. (Express Collect 20 lbs.)

2656X Forcing Frame. 19.95

## BRECK'S SPECIAL COMBINATION OFFER!

This money-saving combination will help you grow better plants with less work! Saves hours of time, effort when starting seeds, forcing bulbs. Ensures a larger yield of bigger, stronger flowers and vegetables! Protects tender plants! You get Breck's Forcing Frame complete with 49 ft. Gro-Quick Heater. (see below).

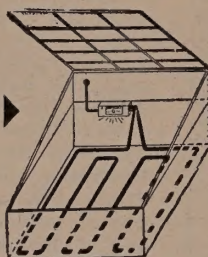
No. 2657X  
 (Express Collect  
 Wt. 21 lbs.)

25<sup>95</sup>

## ADD MONTHS TO YOUR GARDENING PLEASURE WITH EASILY INSTALLED HEATERS

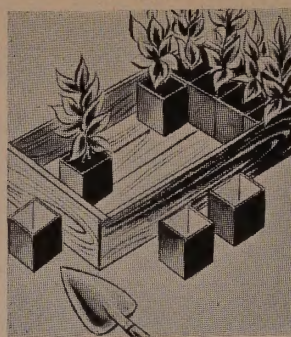
### GRO-QUICK SEED BED HEATERS

- ★ 114 watt
- ★ 160 watt



Make hotbeds out of cold frames. Keep tender plants from freezing! Operates on household current. Comes with built-in 70° fixed temperature thermostat. Ppd.

2662 Heater. 34 ft. 114-W for 12 sq. ft. bed. . . . . 4.95  
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## PLANT BANDS

Smart gardeners save time, money and plants with these marvelous plant bands. Save space by packing compactly into flats or any rectangular container. Coated with a nutrient to nourish young seedlings, save time. Plant band and all into ground . . . no root disturbance . . . no setback. Amazing, and so low-cost! Florists use them . . . why not you? Postpaid.

- 2556 1 3/4 x 2 1/2". 100 for 85¢
- 2557 2 x 2 1/2". 100 for 90¢
- 2558 3 x 3". 100 for 1.20



## FERTO POTS

### Natural Cow Manure

Start your seeds right by planting them in Ferto Pots! When the plant is ready to set out, you simply put pot and all right in the ground! **Ferto Pots** are made of rich organic material, no chemicals added, entirely odorless. Shipped bone dry; clean, easy to handle. Plant roots eat right through pots as they slowly break down, furnishing valuable foods. Use as liners for clay pots.

Pkg. No.	Size	Quan.	Sh. wt.	Price
Pkg.	Pkg.			Pkg.
2570	2-in.	12	1/2	50¢
2571L	2-in.	100	5	3.00
2572L	2-in.	200	9	5.50
2574	2 1/2-in.	12	1	60¢
2575L	2 1/2-in.	100	8	3.50
2576L	2 1/2-in.	200	15	6.25
2578	3-in.	12	1 1/2	70¢
2579L	3-in.	100	11	4.00
2580X	3-in.	200	30 Ex.	7.00
			Coll.	

## HANDY, PLASTIC WATERING POT



Decorator-designed of high-impact plastic, this jumbo, 3-quart watering pot will delight any indoor or out-door gardener with its smart beauty and convenience! So lightweight . . . it's a pleasure to use! Ready-grip handle—styled for both carrying and pouring ease—fits your hand comfortably. Slim, tapered spout reaches gently under leaves . . . lets you water roots without disturbing blossoms on even the most thickly-growing plants! No need to tuck it out of sight when not in use . . . the soft yellow blends pleasingly anywhere! 15 1/2-in. long, 9-in. high.

2727 3-Qt. Pot. Ppd. 1.98

"Clean Thumb"

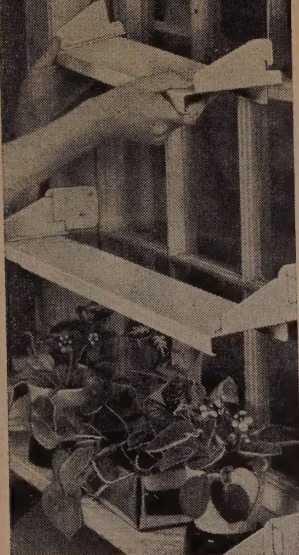


## TRANSPLANTER

Transplants seedlings quickly. Cuts hole for small plant, then lifts plant from flat and deposits it in hole without disturbing roots. Postpaid.

2608 Clean Thumb Transplanter 1.00

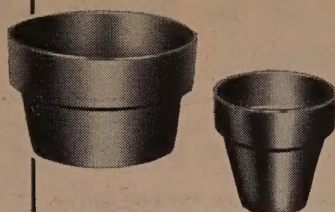




### SUNSHINE PLANT SHELF

Doubles the capacity of your window garden and lifts plants into the sun. Ivory-enamelled, all-metal shelving, 4 inches wide, adjusts from 24 to 39 in. At center window lock level, it slides into position **without screws**; at windowsill, or any other height, it hooks into the little side plates provided. Does not interfere with curtains. Two or three shelves per window are very effective and raise plants to the best light. Postpaid.

**2166L** Sunshine Plant Shelf. 2.95 ea.; 2 for 5.75



See Greenhouse and Conservatory needs, page 25.

### PLASTIC FLOWER POTS

Tough, unbreakable pots that won't harbor bacteria and disease like clay pots. 3 drainage holes, better root growth. Light, easy to clean. The best! In marbled colors only.

African Violet Pans			
		Wt. per 12	
2750	3 in.	1 1/4 lbs.	12 75¢
2751	4 in.	1 1/4 lbs.	12 1.00
Standard Pots			
2755	2 1/2 in.	1 lb.	12 50¢
2756	3 in.	1 lb.	12 75¢
2757	4 in.	2 lbs.	12 1.00
2758	5 in.	2 1/2 lbs.	12 2.00
Bulb Pans			
2759	6 in.	1 lb.	3 85¢
2760	8 in.	2 lbs.	3 2.00
2761	10 in.	4 lbs.	3 4.00
2745	6 in.	1 1/4 lbs.	3 85¢
2746	8 in.	1 1/4 lbs.	3 1.70
2747	10 in.	2 1/2 lbs.	3 2.50

### RUBBER SAUCERS



Use under plant pots to safeguard furniture. Moistureproof, unbreakable, long-lasting green synthetic rubber. Postpaid.

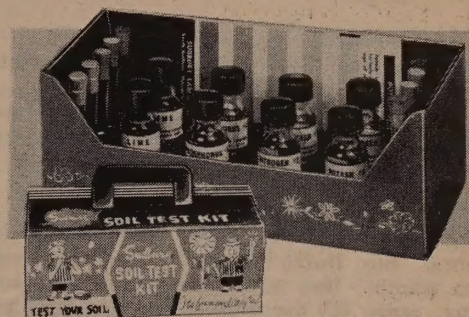
2565	3 3/4" diam.	Each .15
		Doz. 1.60
2566	5 1/4" diam.	Each .25
		Doz. 2.50
2567	7 3/4" diam.	Each .50
		Doz. 5.00



### IN-THE-ROW GREENHOUSE

Simple! Practical! So wonderful for early blooms, vegetables! In-The-Row Greenhouse comes complete with pre-formed wire wickets, correct length of transparent plastic with built-in ventilating openings, clamps to keep vents open, and complete instructions. Covers seedlings or full-grown plants to protect them from wind, rain and temperatures down to 25° . . . even lower for some plants. Lets in the warm sun, keeps out the cold! Try them this spring!

2677L	Greenhouse, 5 ft. x 12 x 12 in. Ppd.	1.95
2678L	Greenhouse, 25 ft. x 12 x 12 in. Ppd.	4.95
2679L	Greenhouse, 25 x 2 x 1 1/2 ft. high. Ppd.	7.50



### SOIL TEST KITS

Find out what your gardening soil contains or lacks **without waiting** for a government lab report! Do it yourself with our **Sudbury Soil-Test Kits!** They'll easily, quickly tell what and how much fertilizer and lime your soil needs. No chemistry degree needed . . . anyone can follow the simple instructions included!

2590	"Acidit" Acidity Kit. Postpaid.	1.98
2592	Home Kit. 20 tests. Postpaid.	3.98
2594	Popular Kit. 50 tests. Postpaid.	6.98
2595	Green Thumb Kit. 75 tests. Postpaid.	9.98
2596	Princess Kit. 100 tests. Postpaid.	18.98

### AFRICAN VIOLET SPRAY

Just press the button and an insect-killing mist covers plants, killing mealy bugs, aphids, white flies, etc. For **African Violet** and all **House Plants**. 5 1/2 oz. Postpaid.

2075 Aerosol. 98¢



### INSTANT LEAF SHINE

Lasting lustre sprayed on with a touch of your finger! Resists dust, keeps firm-leaved, indoor plants looking fresh and clean. Harmless, allows plants to breathe and grow. Postpaid.

3052 5 oz. Aerosol. 89¢



### FIRST USE ROOTONE THEN TRANSPLANTONE

For Earlier, Bigger Plants!

### ROOTONE

Work wonders with your cuttings, dip the tip in **Rootone** before you put them in the soil. Helps roots form like magic! It works wonders with African Violets, shrubs, evergreens, mums, etc.

3410	Rootone. 1/4-oz. pkg. Postpaid.	35¢
3411	Rootone. 2-oz. pkg. Postpaid.	1.25
3412	Rootone. 1-lb. pkg. Postpaid.	5.00

### TRANSPLANTONE

Don't let transplanted plants lose time by wilting! Better gardeners use **Transplantone**. Not only reduces wilt, but improves the root system for bigger, better, healthier plants (Use 1/2 oz. to 5 gals. of water.)

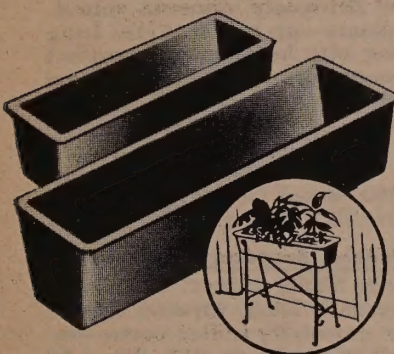
3414	1/2 oz. pkg. Postpaid.	35¢
3415	3 oz. pkg. Postpaid.	1.25
3416	1 lb. Postpaid.	4.00

### NO MORE DAMPING-OFF!

Use **Pano-Drench** To Stop Costly Disease Losses!

Dilute this amazing new liquid concentrate with water to make a powerful soil drench that protects flower and vegetable seedlings, transplants, shrub cuttings from damping-off, stem rot, other fungus diseases! Use as preventative or cure, before or after seeding or transplanting, in greenhouse or outdoors! Apply with sprinkling can.

3098	Pano-Drench, 1-oz. bottle (treats up to 100 sq. ft.) Ppd.	1.95
3099	Pano-Drench, 4-oz. bottle (treats up to 400 sq. ft.) Ppd.	5.95



### BOKAY FLOWER BOXES

No rust, no corrosion—amazing and attractive fiber glass boxes! Strong—outlast most other types of containers. Dark green color molded in—no painting needed.

2680	Box	18 in.	2 lbs.	2.55
2681	Box	24 in.	3 lbs.	3.05
2682	Box	30 in.	3 lbs.	3.49
2683	Box	36 in.	3 1/2 lbs.	3.98

### BOKAY LIGHTWEIGHT STYRON BOXES

High-impact styron flower boxes . . . sturdy and lightweight, can't leak, rust. Green, white or black.

2686	Box	24 in.	Green.	2 lbs.	1.85
2687	Box	24 in.	White.	2 lbs.	1.85
2688	Box	24 in.	Black.	2 lbs.	1.85
2689	Box	30 in.	Green.	2 1/2 lbs.	2.20
2690	Box	30 in.	White.	2 1/2 lbs.	2.20
2691	Box	30 in.	Black.	2 1/2 lbs.	2.20
2684	Black Iron Flower Box Stand.				
	29 in. high, holds 24 to 36 in. planters. Wt. 5 lbs.				3.95
2685	Wall Brackets. Hold 24 - 36 in. boxes on walls or under windows.				
	Not for styron boxes. Ppd. Pr., 98¢				



# BRECK'S OWN TOP QUALITY FLOWER SEEDS

## Alphabetical Listing

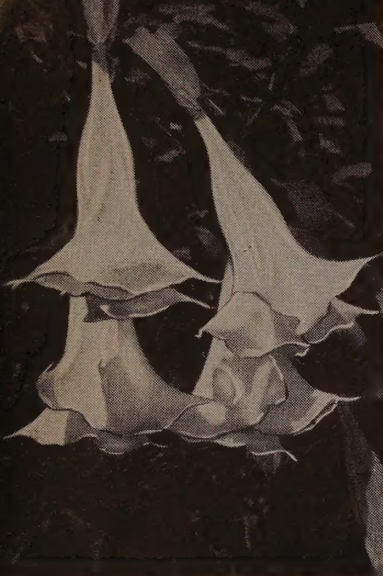
★ All-American Winners, new varieties test-grown in every section of the U.S. Only the best varieties are issued awards.

ANNUAL . . . Continuous bloom for one year only.

PERENNIAL . . . Start to bloom year after seed is sown. Continue blooming for years on increasingly larger plants.

BIENNIAL . . . Bloom year after seed is sown, then die out.

GREENHOUSE . . . Many greenhouse plants require special facilities — some make good house plants. See page 25 for list.



1570 Angel's Trumpet,  
Wrightii



0145 Amaranthus,  
Molten Fire

### ACROCLINIUM *Annual-Everlasting*

**0043 Sensation Giants, Mixed.** 2 ft. Inch-wide, Daisy-like flowers in pink, rose shades and white. Cut before fully open, dry for winter bouquets. (Illustrated) Pkt. 25¢

### AFRICAN VIOLETS —See page 25.

### AGERATUM *Annual*

**0060 Blue Mink.** 6 in. Powder blue hybrid Ageratum. Big, fluffy flowers cover bushy uniform plants. Use with Marigold Spun Gold (illus., page 20) for edging, borders. Pkt. 25¢

**0073 Blue Perfection.** 18 in. Rich dark blue. Fine for bedding. Pkt. 25¢

**★0085 Midget Blue.** 4-in. Dense spreading plants covered with clear azure-blue flowers. Uniformly dwarf. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 1.00

### AGROSTEMMA *Perennial*

**0090 Coronaria.** 1½ ft. Blood-red, single blooms in great profusion with white, woolly foliage. Pkt. 25¢

### AMARANTHUS *Annual*

**0145 Molten Fire.** Grows to 5 ft. with a brilliant, fiery red bract contrasting against bronzy red foliage. (Illustrated) Pkt. 25¢

### SWEET ALYSSUM *Annual*

Popular early-flowering, easily grown plants for rock garden or edging beds, borders. Sweetly scented, flowers all summer.

**0106 Carpet of Snow.** 4 in. Dwarf, compact, edging plant completely covered with white, fragrant flowers. Alternate with Royal Carpet for gorgeous effects. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.35

**★0107 Alyssum 'Rosie O'Day'.** 4 in. (New for '61!) Silver Medal winner—fragrant, quick growing! Blooms in less than 2 months after sowing. New, deep rose color—perfect for edging flower beds and borders. Use alone or with Carpet of Snow or Royal Carpet. Pkt. 35¢

**0112 Little Gem.** 6 in. Pure white. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.25

**★0114 Royal Carpet.** 3 in. All-America Silver Medal. Deep violet flowers. Large clusters completely cover the 10 in. wide, compact plants. Lovely edging, early summer to frost. Pkt. 35¢

**★0115 Pink Heather.** 6 in. The first Pink Alyssum! Blooms all summer with big clusters of heather-pink, fragrant flowers. Combines well with other Alyssum colors. Pkt. 35¢

**0118 Sweet Alyssum.** 8 in. Old-fashioned pure White. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 1.00

**0121 Violet Queen.** 6 in. Bright violet. Pkt. 25¢



0043 Acroclinium, Sensation  
Giants, Mixed



★0289 Snapdragon, White Rocket



★0294 Double Hybrid  
Snapdragon, Vanguard

### ALYSSUM *Perennial*

Low spreading plants, with attractive gray-green foliage bearing great masses of fluffy golden yellow blooms in early spring.

**0132 Basket of Gold.** (Saxatile compactum)

12 in. Brilliant intense golden yellow for rock gardens. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.35

**0141 Rock Garden Mixture.** Pkt. 25¢

### ANGEL'S TRUMPET—*Datura Annual*

Bushy plants covered with large, fragrant, trumpet-shaped, Lily-like flowers July to frost. Foliage is soft grey-green. 3 ft.

**1570 Wrightii.** Fragrant white trumpets with rosy lavender flush outside. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

### ANTHEMIS—See Golden Marguerite, page 13.

### SNAPDRAGONS—*Antirrhinum Annual*

**New Rocket Snapdragons for 1961 Gardens!** New Fl hybrids! Extremely vigorous, robust, low-branching plants—up to 3 ft. high! Long spikes, thickly set with large, slightly ruffled flowers. Continuous cutting produces flowers all summer. (Illus. in color, page 19.)

★0281 Lavender.

★0287 Rose.

★0283 Orange.

★0289 White. (Illus.)

★0285 Red.

★0291 Yellow.

★0293 Mixed Colors.

Above Pkts. 50¢ each

### ★0294 New Double Snapdragon Vanguard.

All-America Bronze Medal winner! Glamorous, sensational, fragrant! Long, tapered spikes, filled with large, gracefully ruffled cerise rose flowers with yellow markings. 36". Pkt. 1.00

**Tall Giant Ruffled Tetra.** Magnificent new Snapdragons, with tall, strong stalks and giant flowers. 2½ ft. and up.

**0275 Superfine Mixture.** All the popular colors plus many new and unusual ones! Garden Snapdragons as large as the well-known florist types! Pkt. 25¢

### SNAPDRAGON GARDEN Giant Ruffled Tetra Varieties

6 gorgeous colors — 1 pkt. each.

Yellow, Crimson, Rose,

Orchid, Pink, White.

Order Group

No. 0277

2.10 VALUE!

175

### Large Flowered Giant

**0200 Cherry Ripe.** 2-3 ft. Brilliant cherry-rose blooms all summer. Pkt. 50¢

### Breck's Intermediate

**0316 Mixed.** 18 in. Finest color blend of rich clear shades, as well as a wide range of lovely color combinations. Colorful all season long. Pkt. 25¢



# BRECK'S SELECTED ASTERS

## New SUPER GIANT

The largest and most spectacular of all Asters! Beautiful cut flowers with wiry, 24-in. stems and huge 4½-in. ostrich-feather flowers. Blooms mid-August to frost. Wilt resistant. 2 to 2½ ft. (See illustration.)

- 0520 Beverly Hills. Azure-blue.
- \*0523 El Monte. Bright crimson.
- 0525 Hollywood. Pure white.
- \*0527 Los Angeles. Shell pink.
- 0528 Palm Springs. Rose.
- 0529 Pasadena. Peach-blossom pink.
- 0531 Santa Barbara. Gorgeous purple.

Above Pkts. 25¢ ea.

0535 Mixed Colors. Pkt. 25¢

## SUPER GIANT TRIO

Three lovely shades — 1 pkt. ea.

Hollywood, Beverly Hills, Palm Springs.  
white azure blue rose

Order Group

No. 0537 75¢ VALUE!

**60¢**



0500 Blue Peony Aster



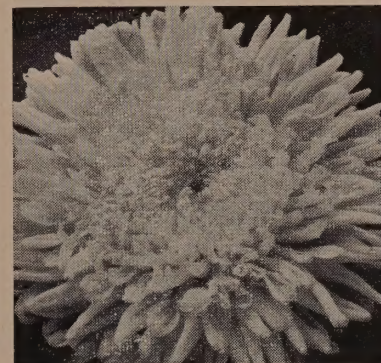
0675 Powderpuff Aster



0535 Super Giant Asters



0665 Scarlet Pimpernel Aster



0658 Princess Goldilocks



0440 Blue-Eyed African Daisy

## SINGLE BRANCHING ASTERS

0680 Mixed Colors. 2 ft. Gorgeous for cut flowers or annual borders. Enchanting single flowers in a wide range of colors, including deep rose, apple blossom white, pale blue and deep violet, all with yellow centers. Flowers early August to frost. Pkt. 25¢

## NEW BLUE PEONY ASTER

0500 2 ft. A magnificent new Aster producing large, azure-blue, Peony-shaped flowers up to 5 in. across with attractively in-curved petals. Outstanding, very double blooms on long, strong stems. Spectacular in masses or for cutting. Blooms all summer. (Illus.) Pkt. 35¢

## "PRINCESS" GROUP

New August-blooming type with 3 to 3½ in. flowers which have golden yellow crested and quilled centers. Wilt-resistant. 2 to 3 ft.

0658 Goldilocks. Finest yellow Aster ever offered! Clear, spun-gold. (See illus.) Pkt. 25¢

0662 Finest Mixed. Many lovely colors. Pkt. 25¢

## SUPER PRINCESS ASTER

Breck's Test Flower for '60!

0665 Scarlet Pimpernel. 3 ft. NEW for '61! Crested and frilled flowers of glowing scarlet. The reddest of all Asters. Large blooms are freely produced on long sturdy stems. Excellent for cutting and arrangements. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 35¢

## PRINCESS COLLECTION

6 beautiful colors—1 pkt. each

Azure Blue, Rose Pink,  
Mid Blue, Scarlet,  
Peach Blossom, White

Order Group

No. 0685 1.50 VALUE!

**125**

## EARLY GIANT ASTER

Earliest Aster for long-stemmed cut flowers that last — starts blooming in July! The extra-large blossoms are filled to the center with long-stemmed broad, graceful petals, daintily plumed and intertwined. Beautiful pastels . . . pinks, blues, whites . . . "cool" for gardens, arrangements. Wilt resistant. 1½ to 2 ft.

0571 Mixed Colors. Pkt. 25¢

## POWDERPUFF BOUQUET ASTERS

0675 2 ft. Imagine up to twenty 3 in., fully double, colorful quilled and crested blooms open at once! Every plant a complete bouquet! Beautiful range of colors—pinks, blues, purples, reds and white. Wilt resistant. (Illus.)

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.25

## BRECK'S SPECIAL ASTER GARDEN

Six choice colors. 1 pkt. each.

American Beauty Crimson, Deep Rose, Purple, Super Giant Azure (Beverly Hills), White (Hollywood), Peach (Pasadena).

Order Group

No. 0539 1.50 VALUE!

**125**

## AMERICAN BEAUTY ASTERS

September flowering. Wilt-resistant. Long stems. 2½ ft.

0519 Mixed Colors. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.00

## 6 AMERICAN BEAUTY ASTERS

One packet each of the following colors:  
Azure Blue, Crimson, Deep Rose, Purple, Shell Pink, White

Order Group

No. 0518 1.50 VALUE!

**125**

## BURPEEANA EXTRA EARLY ASTERS

Flowers in August 2 full weeks ahead of other types . . . compact, upright and nicely branched. Double, 3 to 4 in., with attractive incurved petals. 20 in.

0545 Finest Mixed. 3 to 4 in. flowers, from snow-white through the pinks to rose, crimson, blues and purples. 20 in. Pkt. 35¢

## NEW BONNIE BLUE ASTER

0540 Clear, mid-blue double flowers freely produced on sturdy, base-branching plants of the Burpeeana class. 20 in. Pkt. 50¢

## ANCHUSA Annual

### Summer Forget-Me-Not

\*0167 Blue Bird. 1 ft. Compact plants covered with masses of vivid indigo-blue, Forget-Me-Not-like flowers. Pkt. 25¢

## ANCHUSA Perennial

0170 Avalon Hybrids. 4 ft. Brand new colors and combinations in Anchusa—blush, rose, creamy primrose, pale blue, soft pink with crimson star center. Pkt. 25¢

0182 Myosotidiflora. 1 ft. Dwarf. May, June. Clear sky blue. Fine with Tulips. Pkt. 50¢

AQUILEGA —See Columbine, page 11.

## ARABIS, Rock Cress Perennial

0437 Alpina, Snow Cap. 8 in. Low, compact plants with masses of small, snow-white flowers in early spring. Pkt. 25¢

## ARCTOTIS Annual

Sun-loving plants that bloom all summer and fall. Daisy-like blooms, 2½-3" across, simply cover the plant.

0440 Grandis (Blue-Eyed African Daisy). 2 ft. Long-stemmed, clear white flowers with mauve centers. Under-surface of petals shaded with lavender. (See illustration.) Pkt. 25¢

0445 Hybrids. (Illustrated in color, p. 19.) 10 in. Vigorous, branching plants bearing large single flowers in brilliant yellow, orange, red, salmon and pink shades that make striking flower arrangements. Pkt. 25¢



## AUBRIETIA Perennial

**0753 Large Flowered Hybrids.** 6-7 in. Hardy trailing plants blossoming in early spring with masses of lavender, mauve, rose, violet and purple. Pkt. 25¢

## BALSAM Annual

### Touch-Me-Not

**0770 Breck's Special Mixture.** 18 in. Sturdy spikes lined with dainty blossoms like miniature Camellias in rose, white and red. Lovely annual hedge. Pkt. 25¢

## BAPTISIA Perennial

**0775 Old Orchard Hybrids.** 3 ft. Rich colors, creamy white to yellows and indigo, plus unusual combinations of bronze, chocolate, smoky violet. Blossoms June, July. Pkt. 25¢

## BASKET FLOWER Annual

**1215 Lavender Pinwheel Flower.** (See illus.)

(Centaurea Americana.) 3 ft. Handsome, broad, thistle-like blooms of soft lilac-blue. Very easy to grow. Superb cut-flower. Pkt. 35¢

## BEGONIA —See page 25.

## BELLS OF IRELAND Annual

**0825** (Illus. in color, p. 19.) 2 ft. One of the few really green flowers. Branching plants with lovely green bells on long spikes. Gorgeous combined with pure white flowers. Pkt. 25¢

## BACHELOR'S BUTTON (Centaurea Cyanus)

Practically indispensable for borders, cutting garden. Grows anywhere with long-stemmed, fully double flowers all summer. 2 ft. (Illus.)

**1200 Blue Boy 1204 Red Boy 1206 Snow Man**  
Pkts. 25¢ each

**1208 Mixed.** Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.25

### RED, WHITE & BLUE COLLECTION

3 Bachelor's Buttons—1 pkt. ea.  
Blue Boy Red Boy Snow Man

Order Group  
No. 1211

75¢ VALUE! **60¢**

## PIXIE ROSE Bachelor's Button

Available only from Breck's

**1203** 2 ft. Finest pink Bachelor's Button! Bright sparkling rose pink! 1-in. blooms. Extremely double; bushy. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 85¢

## BLUE LACE FLOWER Annual

**1715 Didiscus Coerulea.** 1½ ft. Huge flowers, like Queen Anne's Lace, unusual, soft powder-blue or "Alice-blue" color. Blooms all summer. (See illustration). Pkt. 25¢

## BROWALLIA —See page 25.

## CACTUS —See page 25.

## CALCEOLARIA —See page 25.

## CALENDULAS, PACIFIC BEAUTY Annual

Bigger flowers, brighter colors, stronger stems than old varieties. Stand hot weather, too! Ideal for cutting. 1½ ft.

**0880 Pacific Beauty Mixture.** Shades of apricot, cream, yellow and orange. Pkt. 25¢

### PACIFIC BEAUTY CALENDULAS

Collection of 4 separate colors—1 pkt. each: **Apricot Beauty, Cream Beauty, Lemon Beauty, Persimmon Beauty** (Orange)

Order Group  
No. 0887

1.00 VALUE! **75¢**

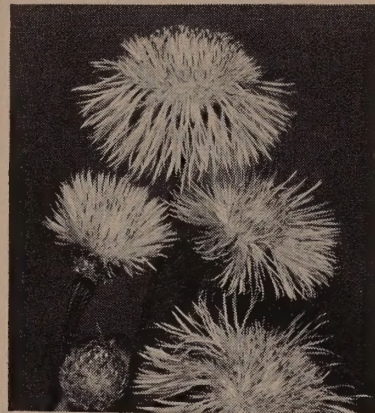
### NEW CRESTED CALENDULAS

There are no others like these! (See illus.)

**0889** All the usual Calendula shades . . . cream through yellow to bright orange . . . with unique crested and quilled centers, tipped with brown or yellow. Be sure to grow some for bouquets. 1½ ft. Pkt. 35¢



1044 Candytuft Dwarf Fairy Mixture



1215 Lavender Pinwheel Flower



1200 Bachelor's Button Blue Boy



1715 Blue Lace Flower



0889 New Crested Calendula

## CALLIOPSIS Annual

**0940 Breck's Special Blend.** 2 ft. Free-flowering, wiry stemmed plants in shades of yellow, velvety crimson, browns. Sow directly in sunny spot in early spring. Pkt. 25¢

## CALIFORNIA POPPIES —See page 21



0986  
Canterbury Bells  
Cup & Saucer

## CANTERBURY BELLS Biennial

**Cup and Saucer Type.** 3 ft. Tall, showy plants. Erect branching stems covered with huge bells set in a shorter bell that gives a cup-and-saucer effect! Gorgeous in bouquets.

**0986 Mixed Colors.** (See illus.) Pkt. 25¢

## CAMPANULAS Perennial

**1021 Persicifolia, Telham Beauty.** 2½ ft. Best perennial Bell Flower. Quantities of china-blue bells in late June, early July. Pkt. 50¢

**1003 Carpathian Harebell.** 8 in. For rock gardens, provides clear blue during mid-summer. Large, graceful bells. Pkt. 25¢

**1027 Rotundifolia, Blue Bells of Scotland.** 8 to 12 in. Persistent, sturdy; dainty blue bells on wiry stems. Blooms in late spring through late summer. Will stand partial shade. Pkt. 25¢

## CANARY BIRD VINE Annual

**3998** 10 ft. Rapid growing vine with delicately cut leaves and clear yellow, fringed flowers—look like canaries in flight! Pkt. 25¢

## CANDYTUFT Annual

Charming plants for summer bedding, bearing showy, massive heads of attractive blooms in July, August. Sow outdoors in spring. 1½ ft.

**1032 Breck's White Giant.** Large spikes of pure-white flowers. Excellent outdoors or in greenhouse. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**1042 Breck's Special Color Blend.** Rose, crimson, carmine, lilac, white. Pkt. 25¢

**1044 Dwarf Fairy Mixture.** 8 in. New, different! Prolific little dome-like, uniform plants give the appearance of a rich, lively colored carpet! Best for edging. (See illustration). Pkt. 25¢

## CANDYTUFT Perennial

**1068 Sempervirens.** 12 in. Choice, compact little evergreen plants covered in May and June with snowy-white blooms. Pkt. 25¢

## CARDINAL CLIMBER Annual Vine

**1072** 15 ft. or more. Rich, glossy green foliage—very dainty and fernlike! Alive all summer with glowing scarlet trumpets. Pkt. 25¢

## CARDINAL FLOWER Perennial

**2397 Lobelia Cardinalis.** 3 ft. Thrives in moist half-shade. Late July-August, it's ablaze with glistening cardinal-red spikes! Pkt. 25¢



## CARNATIONS *Perennial*

**Chabaud's Giant Imp.** 18 in. Fully double flowers—almost as large as greenhouse Carnations! Clean, spicy fragrance! Start early indoors for blooms by mid-summer of same year.  
**1087 Orange Sherbet.** Orange-apricot flowers, striped and flushed with scarlet! Large double blooms, clove-scented, frilled.  
**1094 Mixed Colors.**

Above Pkts, 25¢ each

## ENGLISH GIANT CARNATIONS *Perennial*

**1135 Superb Mixed.** 18 in. Fresh, spicy fragrance from large, double, florist-style Carnations, in a wide range of colors. (Illus.) Pkt. 35¢

### SUGAR 'N SPICE CARNATION COLL.

Five beautiful colors—1 pkt. ea.

White, Pink, Salmon, Scarlet, Yellow  
 Hundreds of fragrant blooms! **100**  
 No. 1099 1.25 VALUE!

## CATHEDRAL BELLS *Annual*

**1408 Cobaea Scandens.** 20 ft. Rapid growing vine, unusual bronzy-green foliage. Beautiful 1½-in. lavender-purple bells, from mid-summer to frost. Clings to any rough surface. Pkt. 25¢

## CELOSIA *Annual*

### Feathered Cockscomb

**1164 Pampas Plume Mixture.** 2½ ft. Big, showy plumes. Copper, bronze, gold and sunset shades. Pkt. 25¢

### Crested Cockscomb

★**1163 Toreador.** 20 in. Lustrous bright-red, long-lasting, feathered and crested blossoms with scarlet highlights. Foliage is light green. Easy to grow... sow directly outdoors. Pkt. 25¢

## CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOTS

### Cynoglossum *Annual*

★**1540 Firmament.** 15 to 18 in. Lovely sprays of vivid sky-blue, starry flowers. Sow in open ground in May. Grand for cutting. Pkt. 25¢

## CHINESE LANTERN *Perennial*

**3175 Physalis.** 2 ft. Brilliant orange seed pods in tall, showy sprays may be harvested every fall. Dry them for winter decorations. Very easy to grow, even in poor soil. Pkt. 25¢

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS *Annual*

**1292 Merry Mixture.** 2½ ft. One of the easiest annuals, providing a wealth of gaily colored blooms in lovely shades of cream, yellow and pink, with unusual markings. From July to frost. Excellent for cutting. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS *Perennial*

**1318 Hardy Korean.** 2½ ft. Fun, adventure in every packet. You're sure to get single and semi-double blooms in a wide color range. Very hardy. Pkt. 50¢

## CINERARIA—See page 25.

## CLEOME—Spider Flower *Annual* (Illus.)

Huge, showy heads of pink or white blooms followed by long, slender seed pods. Easily grown and not troubled by insects. 3 to 4 ft.

★**1400 Pink Queen.** Clear pink. Pkt. 25¢

**1403 Helen Campbell.** White. Pkt. 25¢

## COREOPSIS *Perennial*

Bushy plants smothered in large flowers that dance like golden yellow butterflies! Cut for bouquets till October. 2 to 2½ ft.

**1435 Mayfield Giant.** Large, single, deep golden flowers. Pkt. 25¢

**1438 Sunburst.** Large, double flowers in rich golden colors. Pkt. 25¢



1135 Carnation, English Giants



1445 Ornamental Corn



1577 Daylilies

### IT'S FASCINATING TO GROW DAYLILIES FROM SEED!

Anyone can easily grow Daylilies from seed! They flower the second year and succeeding years, of course. Simple cultural instructions are included with every packet! It's exciting to watch new flowers open, so imagine your pleasure in finding a brand-new color which has never been seen before!

**1577 Mixed Colors.** Pastel shades, bicolors and eyed types are included in this outstanding blend. Pkt. 1.00



1292

Chrysanthemum, Merry Mixture



1400 Cleome, Pink Queen

**COBEA**—See Cathedral Bells, page 11.

**COLEUS**—See page 25.

## COLUMBINE, Aquilegia *Perennial*

### Long Spurred Hybrids

**0429 Breck's Superb Hybrids.** Beautiful long-spurred flowers in crimson, white, yellow, blue and pink shades. Many bicolors. Pkt. 25¢

### ALL-AMERICA WINNER!

★**0389 McKana's Giant Hybrids.** 2½-3 ft.

The finest strain of **Columbines** ever introduced! Larger flowers, longer spurs and a wider range of richer, more beautiful colors! Pkt. 50¢

**CORAL BELLS**—See Heuchera, page 13.

## CORN, ORNAMENTAL *Annual*

**1447 Strawberry.** Tiny little ears, barely 2 inches long, of deep shining mahogany, contrast with the light-colored husk when dried. You'll have fun using them with gourds for autumn door decorations, or with your Christmas greens. It pops, too! Pkt. 25¢

**1445 Rainbow.** Rich reds, yellows, oranges, blues in endless combinations to brighten your fall and winter decorations. Seldom two ears alike in this improved strain. Easy to grow; ears keep all winter. (Illus.) Oz. 25¢ ¼ lb. 75¢

**1450 Gourd and Corn Collection.** See page 13.

## COSMOS SENSATION *Annual*

Enormous flowers on strong stems. Blooms early. Sturdy and prolific. 4 ft. Pkt. 25¢

★**1464 Dazzler.** Rich, velvety crimson.

**1467 Pink.** Largest, earliest, brightest.

★**1468 Radiance.** Deep rosy-red, rich crimson central zone.

**1469 White.** White wavy petals.

**1471 Mixed.** Well-balanced blend of all the lovely colors. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.00

### BRECK'S PINK GLOW COSMOS

**1480** 3½ ft. Exclusive with Breck's! Comes into bloom a full TWO WEEKS EARLIER than any other Cosmos! 4 to 5 in. flowers are a rich, glowing pink with a silvery sheen to every petal. Strong and well-formed plants aren't floppy like other varieties. Beautiful, feathery foliage. Pkt. 25¢

## SEMI-DOUBLE COSMOS *Annual*

★**1452 Fiesta.** 2 ft. The brightest of all Cosmos—gay, glowing scarlet and gleaming gold! Gracefully ruffled petals give an informal appearance. Lacy, compact foliage. Pkt. 35¢

## DOUBLE FLOWERED COSMOS *Annual*

**1490 All Colors.** 3½-4 ft. Remarkable strain of variable forms of Cosmos. Some fully double, others with crested centers. Pkt. 25¢





1565 Dahlia, Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids



1668 Dianthus, Breck's Double Geisha Girl

**CROSSANDRA**—See page 25.

**CYCLAMEN**—See page 25.

**CYPRESS VINE** Annual

**1547** 15 ft. The daintiest of all vines—lacy, fern-like foliage, with small scarlet and white, star-shaped flowers. They stand out prominently against the dark green foliage and are freely produced all summer. Pkt. 25¢

**DAYLILIES** —See page 11.

**DWARF DAHLIAS** Annual

Once you've raised these lovely Dahlias, you'll never be without them! They're so easy and so useful, either in the border or massed in solid beds. Seed sown indoors in March gives a wealth of bloom from July until frost.

**1556 Coltness Hybrids.** 2 ft. If you prefer single flowers, you'll like these! Pkt. 25¢

**1563 Fall Festival.** 2 to 2½ ft. Long-stemmed 3 to 4 in. flowers in rich fall shades of crimson, red, orange, yellow, apricot and purple against dark, bronzy foliage. Pkt. 25¢

**1565 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids.** 15-18 in. Single and semi-double flowers. Mixed colors. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

### LARGE-FLOWERED DAHLIAS

**1560 Decorative Double.** 4 to 5 ft. Choice, prize-winning Dahlias can be easily grown from seed. Sow them early indoors. Every packet is full of surprises! Pkt. 75¢

**HARDY DELPHINIUMS** Perennial

**Pacific Giants** (Illustrated)

The finest strain grown! Huge, very double flowers completely cover the tall, straight stems. They come in shades of blue, lilac, purple, lavender, pink and white. 5 to 6 ft.

**1621 Black Knight Series.** Dark blues.

**1623 Blue Bird Series.** Lively light blue.

**1627 Cameliard Series.** Clear lavender.

**1630 Galahad Series.** Giant, white.

**1633 Guinevere Series.** Pink-lavender.

**1636 King Arthur Series.** Royal purple.

**1639 Summer Sky Series.** Sky blue.

**1642 Round Table Series.** All colors.

Above Pkts., 50¢ each

**1620 Astolat Series.** Lovely PINK shades . . . from apple blossom through all tones of rose. Pkt. 1.00

### PACIFIC GIANT DELPHINIUM COLL.

1 Pkt. ea.

**1623 Light Blue**      **1630 White**

**1627 Lavender**      **1636 Purple**

Order Group

No. 1643      2.00 VALUE!

**150**

### Delphinium Blue Mirror

Dwarf Chinese Larkspur (Illustrated)

**1644** Here is a jewel to brighten your summer garden! Clear, sparkling, bright-blue flowers literally smother the 12-in., bushy plants from June on! Sow seed in April for first year flowers. Pkt. 35¢



Pacific Giant DELPHINIUM



1644 Delphinium, Blue Mirror

**DELPHINIUM BELLADONNA** Perennial

**1615 Sapphire.** 3 ft. New shade . . . brightest clear gentian-blue with a golden bee. Immense florets on graceful loose spikes. Beautiful in arrangements. Pkt. 50¢

**CHINESE LARKSPUR** Perennial

Flowers first year from seed if started in April. Finely divided leaves. 2 ft.

★**1645 Cambridge Blue.** Azure.

**1647 Liberty.** Dark blue.

**1654 White.** Pure white.

Above Pkts. 25¢ each

**DIANTHUS** Annual

**Old-Fashioned Pinks**

**1664 Breck's Geisha Girl.** 1 ft. The most fascinating assortment of colors and single-flowered types to be found anywhere! Pkt. 25¢

**1668 Breck's Double Geisha Girl.** 10 to 16 in.

Glorious new selections acknowledged as the finest double Dianthus on the market—and available only from Breck's! Habit is upright, like a Carnation. Blooms are large and double, 2 to 2¼ in. across. Color range includes rich deep maroon through crimson, scarlet, rose-pink, flesh and white, with many sprightly, enchanting color combinations. (Illus.) Pkt. 35¢

**DIANTHUS** Perennial

**1702 Spring Beauty.** 18 in. Large, double, Carnation-like blooms in a spectacular range of bright sparkling colors! Includes rose, white, salmon, pink. Spicy fragrance. Pkt. 25¢

### Famous Bretton Woods Mixture

**2539** A riot of color, with emphasis on cut flowers! Originated for nationally famous hotel gardens in Bretton Woods, N.H. All annuals, of course, for a full summer of bloom!

Large Pkt.

(covers 150 sq. ft.)

¼ lb. (covers 1500 sq. ft.) **3.00**

**50¢**

**AFRICAN DAISIES** Annual

**1758 Dimorphotheca.** 1 ft. Sun-loving Daisies, very easily grown. Hundreds of flowers, ranging from orange through salmon to soft cream and white. Pkt. 25¢

**ENGLISH DAISIES** Biennial

**0834 Bellis Perennis.** 8 in. Low mounds of foliage carry neat, long-lasting, colorful double flowers in white, shades of pink and red. Blooms early. Pkt. 25¢

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA**—See California Poppies, p. 18.



2666 Feverfew, Double White (Matricaria)

**FEVERFEW** Perennial

**2666 Double White Matricaria.** 1 ft. stems — blooms first year from seed — long season of bloom. (Illustrated) Pkt. 25¢

**FORGET-ME-NOTS** Perennial

**2676 Myosotis, Victoria Blue.** 6 in. Popular and dainty—clear sky-blue. Pkt. 25¢

**2679 Myosotis palustris semperflorens.** Bright blue everblooming type. Prefers a moist location. Pkt. 25¢



## FOUR O'CLOCKS *Annual*

### Mirabilis

**2675 Mixed.** 3 ft. Easy-to-grow, colorful annuals! Flowers open in late afternoon. Tubers can be stored like Dahlias. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢

### FOXGLOVES *Perennial*

#### Digitalis

For shady spots. Bloom mid-June into July.

**1724 Excelsior Hybrids.** 5 ft. Fine new strain with larger bells which face outward, showing the full beauty of their intricate throat markings. More new colors including white, cream, primrose, pink, rose and purple. Pkt. 35¢

### FUCHSIA —See page 25.

### GAILLARDIA *Annual*

**1910 Sunshine Mixture.** 2 ft. Long-stemmed, double blooms in sunset shades that make beautiful cut flowers. Likes hot, dry locations. Pkt. 25¢

### GAILLARDIA *Perennial*

**1924 Breck's Hybrids.** 2 ft. Superb mixture of large, showy flowers in shades of rich wine-red, clear yellow and vivid crimson, all with contrasting gold and red bands. Pkt. 25¢

### GERANIUM —See page 25.

### GEUM *Perennial*

**1954 Mrs. Bradshaw.** 1½ ft. Shining, semi-double scarlet blooms with a coppery sheen are borne on well-branched stems. Pkt. 25¢

### GLOBE THISTLE *Perennial*

**1792 Echinops Ritro.** 4 ft. Big, long-lasting, silvery, metallic-blue pompons that bloom through July and August on tall, strong stems. They dry well for winter arrangements. Thistle-like foliage is very attractive. A real conversation piece! (See illustration.) Pkt. 25¢

### GLORIOSA DAISY *Annual*

#### Giant Tetra Rudbeckia

**3425 Single Mixed Colors.** 3 ft. One of the most spectacular annuals we have seen in years! Huge Daisy-like, long-lasting blooms—up to 7" across—on long, strong stems that make them perfect for bouquets! Their gorgeous, glowing colors combine golden yellow, bronze, golden bronze and orange with warm mahogany tones and velvet brown centers! Plants are strong and sturdy. Pkt. 25¢

**\*3430 Double Gloriosa Daisy.** 3 ft. NEW for '61! All-America Silver Medal winner. Rich, golden yellow double blossoms—4½" and more across! Bushy plants, covered with big flowers all summer. Good for hot, dry, sunny places. Sow early. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 50¢

### GOLDEN MARGUERITE *Perennial*

**0194 Anthemis Kelwayi.** 2 ft. Hundreds of bright, golden yellow Daisies from June to frost! Long-lasting cut flower. Easy-to-grow perennial that lasts for years! Pkt. 25¢

### GOURDS *Annual*

**2000 De Luxe Mixture.** (Illus. in color, p. 19) Breck's own grand assortment! Interesting, small types for table decoration. Pkt. 25¢

**2005 Aladdin.** A small green, turban-shaped gourd attractively marked with red and yellow stripes. Pkt. 25¢



2072 Baby's Breath, Giant White



1792 Globe Thistle



3430 Double Gloriosa Daisy



4100 Johnny Jump-Ups

## New Mexicana Collection GOURDS & ORNAMENTAL CORN

Grow these for colorful, eye-catching, long-lasting table and door decorations. It's easy—it's fun to "grow your own"! 1 pkt. ea. **De Luxe Gourd Mixture, Ornamental Corn, Strawberry Corn.**

Order Group

No. 1450

75¢ VALUE!

**60¢**

## GYPSOPHILA *Annual*

### Baby's Breath

Quick-growing plants with dainty flowers in loose, graceful, misty sprays... to bring ethereal beauty to arrangements! 1½ ft.

**2072 Breck's Giant White.** Snow white. (Illustrated). Pkt. 25¢; 1 oz. 1.00

**2074 Elegans rosea.** Rose pink. Pkt. 25¢

## GYPSOPHILA *Perennial*

**2080 Paniculata.** 2 to 3 ft. Globular bushes, with masses of tiny white flowers on loose sprays in July and August. Pkt. 25¢

**2082 Paniculata, Double.** 3 ft. Large white flowers July to Aug. Dries well for winter arrangements. Pkt. 25¢

## HEARTS and HONEY VINE *Annual*

**1074** Fast-growing vine covered with bright 2-in. trumpets that change color every day! Blooms start pinkish-orange, become brilliant pinkish-red and finish bright rose-pink. Pkt. 25¢

## HELIOTROPE

Enchanting fragrance! Start seed indoors in January to bloom in midsummer.

**2127 Blue Bonnet.** 2½ ft. Of deepest lavender-blue, with the sweetest, most entrancing fragrance we know. Pkt. 25¢

## HESPERIS *Perennial*

**Sweet Rocket.** 3 ft. Fragrant Phlox-like border plant, blooming late May to July. Pkt. 25¢  
**2138 Purple 2140 White**

## HEUCHERA *Perennial*

**2146 Coral Bells (Sanguinea splendens.)** 1½ ft. Neat, evergreen, heart-shaped leaves form tidy clumps. From each plant rise dozens of coral-crimson bells! Fine for edging borders or combining with evergreens or shrubs. Pkt. 35¢

## HIBISCUS *Perennial*

**2155 Mallow Marvels.** 5 to 6 ft. Quantities of saucer-shaped blooms—often dinnerplate size—in mid-July! Varies in color from blush through pink and rose, to vivid red. Huge, shrubby plants, thoroughly hardy. Pkt. 25¢

## HONESTY *Biennial*

**2405 Lunaria, Silverpenny.** 2½ ft. stems, well-branched, bear lovely soft purple flowers in May, later becoming the Silver Sixpence so popular in winter bouquets. Very attractive when combined with Physalis, Statice and other everlasting flowers. Pkt. 25¢

## JOHNNY JUMP-UPS *Perennial*

**4100 Shakespearean Pansies.** 6 in. Gay little elves that start with the first warm days of early spring and often are producing vigorously at Thanksgiving. Like miniature Pansies in charming combinations of purple, blue, yellow and white. (Illustrated) Pkt. 25¢



### New HOLLYHOCK, PINK ROSETTE

**2169** At last! A new Hollyhock that blooms first year from seed. Beautiful, big 4-in., double-ruffled, salmon-rose flowers veined with deep rose. Attractive foliage. 3 ft. Pkt. **25¢**

### DOUBLE FLOWERED HOLLYHOCKS *Biennial*

Our strain is notable for its immense double flowers, wide color range. Flowers profusely in July, August. 6 ft.

**2188 Giant Double Mixed.** All colors. Pkt. **25¢**

### HOLLYHOCK COLLECTION

1 pkt. each of 6 colors

Newport Pink, Deep Rose, Maroon, Scarlet, Yellow, White

Order Group

No. 2195

1.50 VALUE!

**125**

### HYACINTH BEANS *Annual*

**1760 Dolichos.** 15 ft. Here's a vine to cover porch or trellis quickly! Heart-shaped foliage is bright green, with Wisteria-like flowers in white to lilac shades. Pkt. **25¢**

### FLOWERING KALE *Annual*

**2300 Novelty Foliage Plants.** 1½ ft. Colors range from white through cream, pink, orchid, rose and ruby red. Curled, crested, fluted and ruffled leaf edges. Heads 12 in. wide. Pkt. **25¢**

### GORGEOUS FOR GARDENS, ARRANGEMENTS! ANNUAL

### LARKSPUR

Beautiful, spectacular, easy to grow annual! Sow seed early in spring or in fall, where plants are to bloom. Breathtaking for color in masses. 3 ft. Pkts. **25¢** ea.

**1609 Mixture.** Harmony blend of many lovely colors. (Illustrated) Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.00**

### LARKSPUR GARDEN

Plant separate colors for a rainbow background in the garden.

5 separate pkts., 1 ea.

Blue, Lilac, Pink, Salmon, White.

Order Group

No. 1611 You SAVE **25¢**!

**100**

### SWEET LAVENDER *Perennial*

**2320 Vera.** 18 in. Time-honored herb, so fine for sachets and pot-pourri. Charming as a grey-leaved garden plant bearing hundreds of fragrant spikes! Pkt. **25¢**

### LINARIA *Annual*

**2354 Fairy Bouquet Improved** (Baby Snapdragon). 8 to 10 in. Gorgeous array of colors—exciting bi-colors, plus pastels! (Illus.) Pkt. **25¢**

### LINUM—Blue Flax *Perennial*

**2372 Caeruleum.** 2 ft. Airy, graceful, light blue border plant. Pkt. **25¢**

### LOBELIAS *Treat as Annuals*

A favorite for window box or edging. Free blooming. Use with Alyssum or in front of yellow dwarf Marigolds.

**2376 Blue Gown.** 4 inch, deep blue flowers without eye. Pkt. **25¢**



2400 Lupin, Annual Mixed



2282 Summer Cypress



1609 Larkspur, Supreme Mixture



2810 Nicotiana, White Bedder



2354 Linaria, Fairy Bouquet

### SURPRISE GARDEN MIXTURE A Complete Flower Garden

**2538** Plant only one packet and have a spectacular flower garden of hundreds of colorful blooms. You can enjoy from June to frost the most varied, most exciting display of colorful annual flowers ever seen. 1 pkt. will sow a plot 10 x 20 ft. or the equivalent.

¼ lb. **1.50**

LGE. PKT.

**25¢**

### LUPINE *Annual*

**2400 Giant Mixed.** 12 to 15 in. Easily grown and free flowering. Long graceful spikes of richly colored pea-shaped flowers. Prefer light shade and rich soil. (Illus.) Pkt. **25¢**

### RUSSELL LUPINES *Perennial*

**2452 Mixture.** 3 ft. The finest strain of Lupines in the world. Long spikes, symmetrical, closely packed, with an amazing array of colors and combination of colors! Pkt. **25¢**; ¼ oz. **1.00**

MARIGOLDS—See page 15.

### MEXICAN FIRE BUSH *Annual*

**2282 Summer Cypress** (Kochia). 2-3 ft. Symmetrical, bushy plants with dense, green foliage which transforms to a fiery red in fall. Splendid as a temporary hedge. (Illus.) Pkt. **25¢**

### MIGNONETTE *Annual*

**2672 Old-Fashioned Sweet Scented.** 1½ ft. No French perfume can match its captivating, charming fragrance! Pkt. **25¢**

### NIEREMBERGIA *Annual*

**★2816 Purple Robe.** 4 to 6 in. Neat little edging and window box plant. Blooms continually until hard frost. Hundreds of lavender-blue, cup-shaped blooms on bright mounds. Pkt. **25¢**

### SWEET-SCENTED NICOTIANA *Annual*

#### Flowering Tobacco

Easily-grown annuals that open their flowers each evening, spreading a delicate and delightful fragrance throughout the garden all summer long.

**2796 Crimson Bedder.** 15 in. Pkt. **25¢**

**2798 Affinis.** 2½ ft. Old-fashioned Star of Bethlehem. White. Pkt. **25¢**

**2802 Daylight Hybrids.** 2 ft. Fine new strain that stays open all day. Bright scarlet, crimson, yellow, pink, rose. Pkt. **25¢**

**2810 White Bedder.** 12 to 15 in. Remains open all day, yet still wafts the delightfully exotic fragrance of well-known flowering tobacco! A profusion of large, pure white, star-shaped flowers covers this dwarf, compact plant. Flowers from July to frost . . . sow seed indoors early, or directly outdoors in May, where it is to bloom. (See illus.) Pkt. **35¢**



**RAPID-GROWING  
BEAUTIES**

# MORNING GLORIES

**2237 Candy Pink.** 15-20 ft. Giant, 4-in. blooms of pure bright pink. Pkt. 25¢

**2243 Flying Saucers.** NEW! This fast-growing annual climber is simply smothered with hundreds of big 4-inch flowers right up to frost! Flowers are striped and flaked with bright blue and soft blue white in fascinating combinations that give an illusion of whirling motion (see illustration)! "Flying Saucers" is well named, since each and every flower gives the impression that it is ready to "take off"! Early flowering, easy to grow, loves to climb and loves hot summers. Try it for long season bloom on your trellis or arbor. (Illus.) Pkt. 35¢

**2245 Heavenly Blue.** 15 ft. Literally covered with glorious, clear-blue, 3½ to 4 in. flowers, shading to golden yellow at the throat. Blooms very early and continues until frost. Wonderful living cover for walls, fences, trellis, etc. (See illustration) Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

**\*2250 Pearly Gates.** 10-15 ft. Large, pure-white bloom. Same free-flowering habit as Heavenly Blue. Pkt. 25¢

**2254 New Scarlett O'Hara.** Scarlett O'Hara has had a change of heart! This new variety has the same deep wine-red color, and climbs very rapidly. Pkt. 25¢

**2251 Double Rose Marie.** 10-15 ft. Deep, rose-pink flowers like double ruffled Petunias. Early until frost. Pkt. 25¢

**1428 Dwarf Royal Ensign.** 6-9 in. Rich, deep ultramarine-blue flowers, with a gold throat shading to a white halo, profusely cover this bush Morning Glory. Blooms all summer. Excellent edging or border. Flowers stand out well against lush green foliage. Pkt. 25¢

## MORNING GLORY COLLECTION

1 pkt. each for a living wall of color!

Candy Pink, Heavenly Blue

Pearly Gates

Order Group

No. 2260

75¢ VALUE!

**60¢**

## FRAGRANT MOONFLOWER Annual

**2248** 20 ft. Large, fragrant white blooms—often 6 inches across—opening in the evening and staying open until noon-time, except during hottest weather. Pkt. 25¢

## BRECK'S JEWEL-TONED ANNUAL FLOWERING MARIGOLDS GIANT-FLOWERED

**2554 Crackerjack.** 2½-3 ft. Earliest large-flowered Marigold with fully double 4-5" flowers in primrose, yellow, orange, gold (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

## CARNATION-FLOWERED

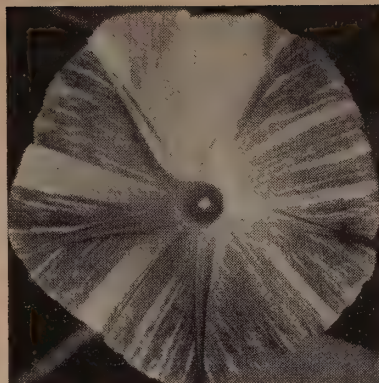
**\*2568 Guinea Gold.** 2½ feet. Bright orange, loosely ruffled flowers. Pkt. 25¢

**2570 Man-in-the-Moon.** 3 ft. Lightest of all yellow Marigolds with exceptionally attractive, 3-in. carnation-shaped blooms...crisp, ruffled petals of glowing moon-yellow. Pkt. 25¢

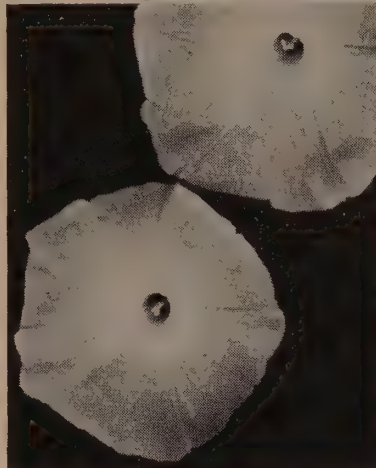
**\*2572 Yellow Supreme.** 2½ ft. Perfect companion for Guinea Gold—rich primrose yellow—odorless, too. Pkt. 25¢

## TOREADOR MARIGOLD

**\*2550** (See illus.) NEW! 2½-3 ft. Spectacular F1 hybrid. Gorgeous, rich-orange flowers—up to 5-in. across and deep—on bushy, early-blooming plants! 1960 All-America Pkt. 50¢



2243 Morning Glory, Flying Saucers



2245 Morning Glory, Heavenly Blue



\*2550 Marigold, Toreador



2554 Marigold, Crackerjack

## MARIGOLDS, Continued

### CHRYSANTHEMUM-FLOWERED

**\*2596 Spun Gold.** (Illus. in color, p. 20.) NEW! 12 in. Early dwarf, bushy with large, 3-in. golden-yellow double flowers! The largest flowered of all dwarf Marigolds! Pkt. 50¢

**2594 Cupid Mixed.** 6-8 in. Sturdy, compact plants star-studded with myriads of gold, yellow and orange Chrysanthemum-like flowers all summer and fall! Odorless foliage. Pkt. 25¢

**\*2598 Glitters.** 3 ft. Fluffy 4-in. blooms of clear canary yellow. Gracefully incurved petals and full round blooms look like Giant Greenhouse Chrysanthemums. Pkt. 25¢

**2617 Chrysanthemum-Flowered Mixed.** All popular yellow and orange shades. Pkt. 25¢

### DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH

**2607 Breck's Atomic Gold.** 1 ft. Largest flowered dwarf French! Flowers high-crowned, rich deep yellow, surrounded by broad, velvety maroon petals. Very brilliant! Pkt. 25¢

**\*2606 Butterball.** 9-12 in. Uniformly neat, rounded plants smothered with 1½-in., bright canary-yellow double blooms. Pkt. 25¢

**2610 Lemon Drop.** 9 in. The finest, earliest, bright yellow Marigold for edgings! Pkt. 25¢

**2612 Harmony Hybrids.** 12 to 15 in. plants. 1½ in. double flowers in combination of yellow, orange, mahogany. Pkt. 25¢

**2614 Color Magic.** 9-12 in. Hundreds of fully double 2-in. flowers, striped and mottled with rich shades of orange and red over clear yellow. Compact, uniform. Pkt. 25¢

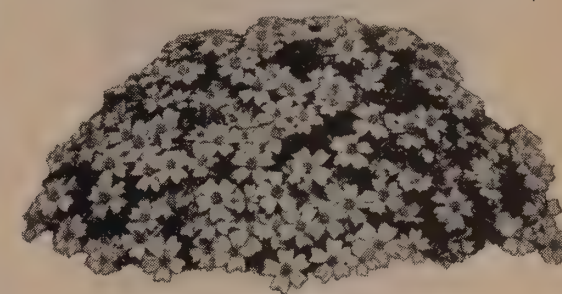
### NEW All-America Petite Strain

Extra dwarf—compact—uniform, 5 to 7 in., early flowering—smothered with blooms! All you could ask for in an edging plant. Pkt. 25¢

**\*2624 Petite Yellow** **\*2627 Mixed Colors**

### SINGLE FRENCH

**\*2655 Naughty Marietta.** 1 ft. Golden yellow blooms with rich maroon centers. Compact plants covered with bright 2½-in. flowers. All-America Award and Award of Merit. Pkt. 25¢



2663 Marigold, Lulu

### MIDGET MARIGOLD

**2663 Signata pumila Lulu.** 7 in. Bright canary-yellow. Fine, compact edging plant, up to 12 in. across, covered with blooms. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

### BRECK'S MARIGOLD GARDEN

5 beautiful varieties—to brighten your garden all summer. 1 pkt. ea.

2614 Color Magic 2554 Crackerjack

2655 Naughty Marietta 2663 Lulu

2617 Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed

Order Group

No. 2657

1.25 VALUE!

**100**



## NASTURTIUMS

### Double-Flowered

Deliciously fragrant, fully double, semi-trailing. So easy, so colorful, and so adaptable! Leaves are used in salads and sandwiches; green seeds make tasty pickles! 1-1½ ft.

**2714 Cherry Rose**

\***2680 Golden Gleam.** Bright yellow. (Illus.)

**2685 Mahogany Gleam.** Contrasting dark shade. Large, velvety, spicy.

**2688 Salmon Gleam.** Soft salmon.

\***2692 Scarlet Gleam.** Fiery scarlet.

Above Pkts. 25¢ ea.; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. 1.75

\***2695 Glorious Gleam Hybrids.** Mixed.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

### Double-Flowered Dwarf

**2715 Gem Mixture.** Excellent color range of doubles. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25

### FRAGRANT NASTURTIUM TRIO

Enjoy gleaming, jewel-like colors and spicy fragrance from early summer to late fall with these easiest-to-grow of annuals! Beautifully shaped leaves can be used as garnish for salads, or as backgrounds for cut flowers. 1 pkt. each variety, 3 pkts. in all.

**2680 Golden**      **2685 Mahogany**  
**2692 Scarlet**

Order Group

No. 2700

75¢ VALUE!

**60¢**

BRECK'S OWN  
OUTSTANDING

## GIANT PANSIES

### NEW F2 PANSY SENSATION



**2845 Pansy, Masquerade**

**2845 Masquerade.** 6 in. If you like Pansies big, bright-colored and without too many dark shades, you must grow Masquerade! The strong-growing, bushy plants have loads of flowers in all the beautiful, bright Pansy colors and gorgeous combinations. Plenty of the much-wanted blue, mauve and lavender shades. (See illustration) Pkt. 50¢

**2857 Pansy Clear Crystals.** NEW for '61! Pansies without markings in bright, sparkling colors, clear as crystals. Large, slightly ruffled flowers . . . neat, compact plants. Try these if you prefer plain colors! (Illus.) Pkt. 50¢

**FREE SEEDS!** If you order before APRIL 30!  
(See page 29)



\***2680 Nasturtium, Golden Gleam**



**2857 Pansy Clear Crystals**



**3408 Painted Daisies, Single Mixed**



**2667 Mesembryanthemum**

## Imported SWISS GIANT PANSIES

Like to enjoy a Pansy bouquet? You can with tall stemmed Swiss Giants! Beautiful colors—huge, velvety-textured flowers—the most beautiful Pansies we have seen! Imported seed grown in Switzerland for Breck's by the originator. 8-12 in.

**2862 Blumlisalp** (Raspberry Rose). Soft pink with contrasting black, velvety blotch. Pkt. 35¢

**2864 Alpenglühn** (Alpenglow). Mahogany red shades, nearly black centers. Pkt. 35¢

**2867 Berna.** Dark, velvety violet. Pkt. 35¢

**2870 Thunersee** (Lake of Thun). Intense blue with dark center. Pkt. 35¢

**2878 Jungfrau.** White as the snow that caps this famous Alpine peak! Pkt. 35¢

**2879 Monch** (Coronation Gold). Golden yellow. Pkt. 35¢

**2885 Swiss Giants Mixed.** A magnificent blend of rich colors, best we've ever seen! Pkt. 25¢

## BOSTON PRIZE MIXED PANSIES

**2861.** For years we've furnished the seed for the famous Boston Public Gardens. Boston Prize Mixed combines an unbeatable color balance with uniform dwarf habit and large flowers. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. 1.75; ¼ oz. 5.25



**3412 Painted Daisy, Double Mixed**

## PAINTED DAISIES Perennial

### Pyrethrum

2 ft. June-blooming single and double Daisies with long, graceful stems and attractive, ferny foliage. Extremely showy in garden and bouquets. Colors range through white, pink and rose to deep red. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 25¢

**3408 Single Mixed.**      **3412 Double Mixed.**

## MESEMBRYANTHEMUM Annual

Low spreading; easily-grown plants that thrive in sunny locations and light sandy soil. Particularly good near seashore.

**2667 Criniflorum, Desert Daisy.** 3 to 4 in. Brilliantly colored, large, daisy-like flowers in shades of lavender, pink, rose, red and white. A carpet of glowing color! (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

**2668 Crystalinum. Ice Plant.** 3 to 4 in. A most unusual plant grown for its curious thick foliage which appears as if frosted with glistening ice-like beads. The pinkish-white flowers are small and inconspicuous. Pkt. 25¢



# BRECK'S F1 HYBRID PETUNIAS

F1 (first generation) Hybrid Petunias are a real triumph in plant breeding. They show a uniformity of habit, size and color that would

have been impossible just a few years ago. Choose the type and color that appeals to you and enjoy Petunias at their very best!

## LARGE-FLOWERED FRINGED AND RUFFLED

Huge, 3 to 4 in. single flowers smother the compact 15-in plants . . . fringed and ruffled edges have the appearance of fine filigree.

**2933 Calypso.** NEW for '61! Best flaming scarlet-red and white variety. Aptly named for its striking color effect! Pkt. 75¢

**\*2964 Fire Dance.** Bright scarlet-red with a honey-colored throat. Beautiful with La Paloma. (Illustrated) Pkt. 75¢

**\*2931 Ballerina.** 12 in. Soft, glowing salmon, 3½ to 4 in. flowers. Very uniform in habit, spreads 2 to 3 ft. Pkt. 75¢

**2944 Crusader.** 12 in. White with red stripes and veins. Makes sparkling border. Pkt. 75¢

**2934 La Paloma.** 15 in. Pure white with golden throat. Every plant a snowy mound! Pkt. 75¢

**\*2968 Prima Donna.** 12 in. Gleaming, brilliant clear rose-pink. Very even growth. Pkt. 75¢

**2970 Fringed and Ruffled Mixture.** New and exciting mixture of the above and many others! Pkt. 75¢

## NEW LARGE-FLOWERED F1 HYBRIDS

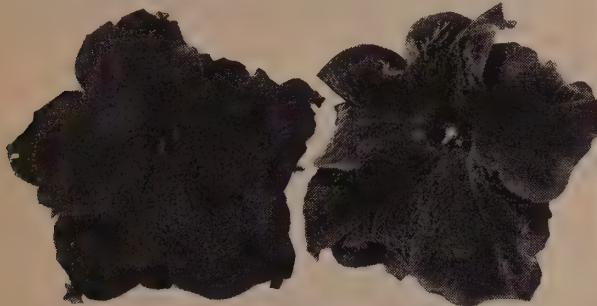
**3028 Blue Lustre.** 12 in. Beautifully waved, 3½-in., deep velvety, violet-blue flowers. Neat, well-behaved plants that just bloom and bloom all summer! (Illustrated.) Pkt. 75¢

**\*3030 Maytime.** 12 in. Glowing salmon pink, shading slightly lighter at the throat. Frilled edges. Solid mounds of color 24 to 30 in. across. For borders, pots or boxes. Pkt. 75¢

**3036 Scarlet Lustre.** 12 in. Glowing vivid scarlet, 3½-in. flowers with bright yellow throats . . . add wavy, ruffled petals and the effect is breathtaking! Pkt. 75¢

**3039 White Magic.** 12 in. Large, pure white ruffled flowers . . . strong-growing plants. Plant with Black Magic or Red Lustre. Pkt. 75¢

**2932 Black Magic.** New! 12 in. Velvety, deepest violet-purple blossoms with a black sheen. (See illustration.) Pkt. 75¢



3028 Blue Lustre

2932 Black Magic

## PETUNIA CARNIVAL New F2 Mixture

**3080** Over TWENTY brilliant and distinct colors in this one strain! Vigorous, uniform, 12 to 15 in. plants spread a full TWO feet. Large fringed and waved blossoms average 3½ in. (Illustrated) Pkt. 50¢

## SPERGERON SEED PROTECTANT

To prevent seed decay and damping off, protect seeds before planting by applying Spergon!

**3049** 1 oz. Spergon. Postpaid. 50¢  
**3050** 5 ozs. Spergon. Postpaid. 1.75



\*2964 Petunia, Fire Dance



3038 Petunia, Satellite



2991 Petunia, Cherry Tart



3080 Petunia, Carnival

## DWARF BEDDING F1 HYBRIDS

Unbeatable for beds or edgings! Neat, compact plants are 12 to 16 in. high, up to 26 in. wide! Covered with gorgeous, brilliant flowers in many colors all summer long.

**\*2985 Comanche.** Bright scarlet red. Pkt. 50¢

**\*2986 Coral Satin.** 12 in. NEW for '61! AAS Bronze Medal winner. Lovely coral-rose; dwarf plants. Covered with flowers; resists wind and rain. Pkt. 50¢

**\*3032 Glitters.** Contrasting white stripes on brilliant red. Very showy! Pkt. 50¢

**2966 Linda.** Clear light-salmon pink. Pkt. 50¢

**2988 Mercury.** NEW! Clear heavenly blue. The best light blue. Pkt. 50¢

**2989 Neptune.** NEW! A real Mediterranean blue that seems to glow at twilight. Pkt. 50¢

**\*3034 Paleface.** Pure snow-white. Shines in the evening light. Pkt. 50¢

**3031 Polaris.** 16 in. NEW for '61! Violet blue with a white star—named for the North Star shining in a dark moonless night. Free-flowering. Pkt. 50¢

**\*2990 Red Satin.** 12 in. Glowing scarlet.

Neatest, most compact plants we have seen, thousands of blossoms, the best red! Pkt. 50¢

**3038 Satellite.** 12 in. (Illustrated.) Dwarf, compact plants bearing thousands of brilliant rose flowers, each with a perfect white star. This is a must! Pkt. 50¢

**3037 Sugar Plum.** 12 in. NEW! (Illustrated in color, page 19.) Dwarf, bushy plants covered with handsome orchid-pink flowers beautifully veined with deep wine-red! Unique! Pkt. 50¢

**3041 Venus.** New! A gorgeous shade of clear celestial rose-pink. A larger and better Rose of Heaven. Pkt. 50¢

**3040 F1 Hybrid Mixture.** A perfect blend of all colors, from soft pastels to the richest, most brilliant hues imaginable. All on strong, well behaved plants. Pkt. 50¢

## BRECK'S ALDOUBLE PETUNIAS

### CHERRY TART

**2991.** 12 in. NEW for '61! First free-flowering double Petunia to be introduced in years! Vari-colored rose and white flowers on strong, bushy plants. Easy to grow. (See illustration) Pkt. 75¢

### Famous Pan-American Strain

Illus. in color, p. 19

Finest strain in the world! Giant fully-double flowers, all beautifully fringed. Plants 12 to 18 in. tall, 24 in. wide. Terrific for borders, boxes, cut flowers.

All Pkts. 1.25 each

**3094 Caprice.** 12 in. Gleaming bright-rose blossoms, 3½ to 4 in. across. Uniformly dwarf.

**3097 Minuet.** 1½ ft. Lovely orchid-lavender, 3½ to 4 in. blooms.

**3102 Nocturne.** 15 in. Deep violet-purple flowers 3 to 3½ in. across.

**3103 Presto.** NEW! Variegated pink and white.

**3104 Sonata.** 1½ ft. As white and graceful as a swan are the 3½ to 4 in. blossoms!

**\*3111 All Colors Mixed.** All-America winner! Pleasing blend of the above group. In combination, these varieties form a living carpet of delightful color!





★2980 Petunia, Cheerful



2995 Petunia, Popcorn



3002 Petunia, Rose of Heaven



2930 Ruffled Giant Petunias

## COLORFUL ANNUALS for FLOWERS ALL SUMMER!

### BRECK'S FAMOUS PETUNIAS BEDDING (DWARF)

For solid masses of color, nothing rivals the bedding Petunia! Plants average 10 to 18 in. tall and spread out to TWO or more feet across, with continuous blooms up to 3 in. across. Seed germinates easily—sow directly in open ground after all danger of frost is past or start indoors in February or March.

**2942 Breck's White Giant.** 1½ ft. Huge wavy, snow-white, fragrant blooms. Pkt. 35¢

**2951 Elk's Pride.** 1 ft. Rich violet-blue of amazing velvety texture. Pkt. 50¢

**2953 Elk's Star.** 1-1½ ft. Crimson-purple with a bright, clear, star-shaped white marking on the throat. Pkt. 25¢

**★2980 Cheerful.** 10 in. Large 2-in. blooms of clear, light salmon-pink with deeply veined throat. An All-America. (See illus.) Pkt. 25¢

**★2987 Fire Chief.** 1 ft. Very brilliant scarlet-red. Pkt. 25¢

**2995 Popcorn.** 8 in. Neat, compact plants for smaller gardens. Covered with huge, pure white blooms. (See illustration.) Pkt. 35¢

**3002 Rose of Heaven.** 1-1½ ft. Warm, clear rose-pink; darker center. (See illus.) Pkt. 25¢

**3011 Snowball Improved.** 1 ft. Masses of pure snow-white blooms. Pkt. 25¢

### ALL COLORS MIXED

**3014** All the gorgeous varieties offered above—a kaleidoscope of color!  
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.25

### RAINBOW COLLECTION

Make your own color blends with these 5 outstanding varieties—one pkt. ea.

Elk's Star                      Cheerful  
Elk's Pride                    Fire Chief

Popcorn  
Order Group              1.60 VALUE!  
No. 3020                  All 5 Pkts. for

**1.25**

### RUFFLED GIANTS MIXED

**2930** Enormous, curled and fluted blooms in brilliant colors. Compact plants. (Illus.)  
Pkt. 50¢

### WINDOW BOX PETUNIAS

For spectacular results in window boxes, plant these trailing beauties! Masses of gay 2-in. blooms all summer!

### Window Box Color Collection

1 pkt. each: Pure White, Royal Rose, Velvety Red, Violet Blue.

Order Group              1.00 VALUE!  
No. 3067                  All 4 for

**75¢**

**3062 Choice Mixed.** A lively mixture of all colors and shades for those who prefer assorted colors. May be used also in large garden areas where a mass of brilliant color is desired. Pkt. 25¢

### PETUNIA SUGAR PLUM

**3037 A** unique new charmer that looks almost good enough to eat! Hundreds of gay, nodding blooms of entrancing orchid-pink, veined with wine-red! Pkt. 50¢

### ALDOUBLE PETUNIAS, Hand-Pollinated Strain

**★3111** 1½-2 ft. The world's finest strain! Gigantic 4-in., fully-double, beautifully fringed flowers in gorgeous tones of white, lavender, rose and deep purple . . . all season long! Pkt. 1.25

### GIANT HYBRID CACTUS-FLOWERED ZINNIAS

An exciting new type of Zinnia with drama in color and form! Shaggy, curled petals create exotic jumbo-blooms—6 in. across! Pkt. 25¢

**4296** Riverside Beauty. Glowing pink.

**4300** Blaze. Fiery red.

**4491** Gold. Golden yellow.

**4298** Ice Cream. Pure cream.

### CACTUS-FLOWERED COLLECTION

A gorgeous selection . . . at a savings! One each of the four shown on opposite page! Order Group No. 4498  
1.00 VALUE! All four packets, 79¢

### EVERLASTING STATICE

**3582** Colorful everlastings . . . last all winter when dried. Pkt. 25¢

### ROCKET SNAPDRAGON

**★0293** Mixed Colors. Glamorous new garden sensation! Long, stately, tapered spikes are thickly clustered with graceful, prettily ruffled blooms! Pkt. 50¢

### DWARF SALVIA

**3504** Scarlet Pygmy. Flaming red flowers . . . dwarf bushy plants . . . early. Pkt. 35¢

### HYBRID AFRICAN DAISIES, Arctotis Hybrids

**0445** 1 ft. Strong-growing, sun-loving annuals! Brightly colored, Daisy-like flowers in pink, yellow, russet, white, red, mauve and intermediate shades! Gay flowers bloom all summer to brighten garden and supply long-lasting cut flowers! Pkt. 25¢

### BELLS OF IRELAND

**0825** Exotic true-green blossoms, clustered about graceful spikes, add a rare, beautiful touch to your garden! Breathtaking combined with pure-white flowers in cut bouquets! Use them dry, too, for winter-long arrangements! Pkt. 25¢





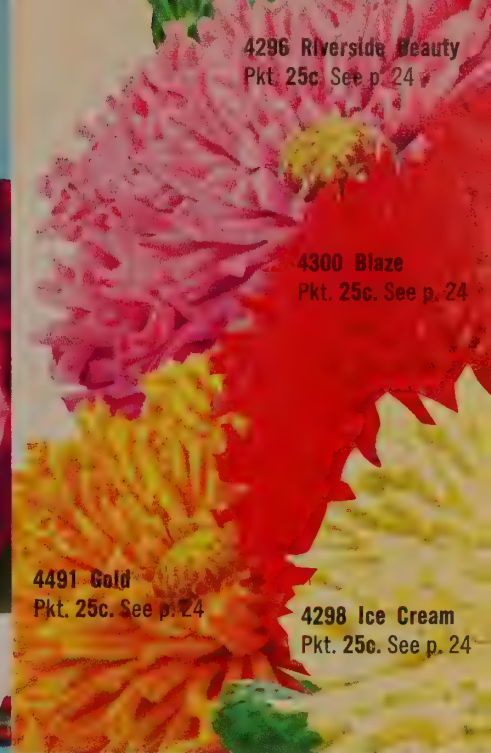
3037 Sugar Plum Petunia.  
See p. 17.

**50¢** Pkt.



3111 All-Double Petunias.  
See p. 17.

**1.25** Pkt.



4296 Riverside Beauty  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24

4300 Blaze  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24

4491 Gold  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24

4298 Ice Cream  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24



3582 Everlasting, Statice.  
See p. 22.

**25¢** Pkt.



0293 Rocket Snapdragon.  
See p. 8.

**50¢** Pkt.

Cactus Zinnia Collection  
Order Group No. 4498  
4 Varieties. 1.00 VALUE!

**79¢**

## LUTHER BRECK'S FAVORITE ANNUALS

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4.35 VALUE!  
11 Packets  
Save 60c

**3.75**

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Save even more  
on 2 coll.  
for 6.95



3504 Dwarf Salvia Scarlet Pygmy.  
See p. 22.

**35¢** Pkt.



0445 Hybrid African Daisies.  
See Arctotis, p. 9.

**25¢** Pkt.



0825 Bells  
of Ireland.  
See p. 10.

**25¢** Pkt.





◀ \*2596  
Spun Gold Marigold  
1960 All America  
Pkt. 50c — See p. 15

## Blue and Gold

**Gorgeous  
Edging  
Combination!**

Large-Flowered,  
Bushy Spun Gold  
with gorgeous  
Blue Mink  
in front.

1 Pkt. Each  
A 75c Value!

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◀ 0060 Blue Mink  
Ageratum  
Pkt. 25c  
See p. 8



\*3145 Glam-  
our Giant  
Tetra Phlox  
1960  
All America  
Pkt. 50c  
See p. 21



2000 Gourds,  
DeLuxe Mixture  
Pkt. 25c  
See p. 13

\*2550  
Toreador Marigold  
1960 All America

Pkt. 50c ▶  
See p. 15

# SPECIAL!

A gorgeous garden of color — for  
cut flowers, edging, garden display.  
Guaranteed to bloom all summer  
long. One pkt. of each variety pic-  
tured on this page **except** Gourds  
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and save 75¢!

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3425 Gloriosa  
Daisy Pkt. 25c ▶  
— See p. 13



## GIANT ZINNIA COLL.

4312 Exquisite  
Pkt. 25c. ▶  
See p. 24

4 colors shown. Vigorous, easily grown  
with giant Dahlia-like blooms on tall,  
sturdy stems. See p. 24.

NO. 4655  
1.00 VALUE!  
4 pkts.

**79¢**

4308  
Crimson Monarch  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24 ▶



4306 Canary Bird  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24

4320 Polar Bear  
Pkt. 25c. See p. 24



# CARE-FREE ANNUALS . . . HARDY, COLORFUL, LONG-LASTING!

## AGERATUM BLUE MINK

**0060 Fabulous NEW color in Ageratum—delicate POWDER BLUE! Big fluffy, colorful blossoms to dramatize your edgings and borders! Uniform, bushy, 6-in. plants combine marvelously with yellow Marigolds! Mammoth, fluffy blooms.** Pkt. 25c

## MARIGOLD SPUN GOLD

**\*2596 Irresistibly enchanting is this lovely newcomer! Big, 3-in. double flowers of gay golden-yellow—as rich and dainty as its name implies!** Pkt. 50c

## BLUE AND GOLD EDGING

**\*2600 Gorgeous edging combination. 1 pkt. each Blue Mink Ageratum and Spun Gold Marigold.** 2 Pkts. 59c

## GORGEOUS MARIGOLD

**\*2550 Toreador. Rich-orange F1 Hybrid. Huge 5-in. flowers.** Pkt. 50c

## GLORIOSA DAISY

**3425 Single Mixed Colors. Spectacular, huge, Daisy-like blooms...yellow to bronze to mahogany, with brown centers.** Pkt. 25c

## GIANT PHLOX

**\*3145 Glamour. Beautiful clear salmon with deeper eye. Flowers larger than silver dollars!** Pkt. 50c

## GOURDS

**2000 DeLuxe Mixture. Exciting, fun to grow, south-of-the border annuals! You'll be delighted with their abundant harvest and many decorating uses!** Pkt. 25c

## GIANT ZINNIAS

**Huge, 4-in. flowers of perfect form and stately grace! Specially selected seed assures fully double blooms and clear, true colors. Unbeatable for garden backgrounds! The plants are strong, sturdy, and well branched, reach a height of at least 3 ft.**

**4306 Canary Bird. Bright yellow.**

**4308 Crimson Monarch.**

**4312 Exquisite. Soft, rosy-pink.**

**4320 Polar Bear. Pure-white.**

Pkt. 25c

## GIANT ZINNIA COLLECTION

**Treat yourself to a whole summer of gorgeous color with this money-saving collection! (Illustrated on opposite page.)**

**Order Group No. 4655**

**1.00 VALUE! All 4 pkts. (1 ea. color), 79c**

## PHLOX Annual

### Drummondii

**3144 Mixed. 15 in. Well-branched plants with large clusters of 1-inch blooms. Glorious gay colors.** Pkt. 25¢

### GLOBE PHLOX Annual

**\*3122 Mixed. 8 in. Every plant a compact, uniform mound of solid color throughout the entire flowering season! Glorious range of brilliant colors. Very uniform in height and spread—1 ft. spread.** Pkt. 25¢

### STAR PHLOX Annual

**\*3130 Twinkle. 6 in. Makes a twinkling display of blooms! The petals of the dime-sized, star-shaped flowers are fringed and pointed. Brilliant colors range from white and light pink through salmon, rose, mauve and crimson with contrasting starry edges. Best for edging. (See illustration)** Pkt. 25¢

### GIANT TETRA PHLOX

**\*3145 Glamour. (Illus. in color, page 20.) 12 in. NEW! Glamorous salmon with deeper eye. Individual flowers are larger than silver dollars! Strong, straight stems.** Pkt. 50¢

## POPPIES Annual

### California Poppies *Eschscholtzia*

**1827 Mission Bells. 1 ft. Exquisitely formed semi-double and double flowers from delicate pastels to deep red. Dwarf, compact plants ideal for borders, beds or plant boxes.** Pkt. 25¢

### Gay Shirley Poppies Annual

**3225 Breck's Superb Double-Flowered Mixture. Marvelous color range. Huge double blooms.** Pkt. 25¢

**3208 Breck's Selected Single-Flowered Mixture.** Pkt. 25¢

## DOUBLE POPPY

**3228 Sweet Briar. 1½ to 2 ft. Plants bear fully double blooms of enchanting wild rose pink. Long season of bloom; reseeds each year! (See illustration.)** Pkt. 25¢

## POPPIES Perennial

### Iceland Poppies

**Here's the Poppy for cutting—flowers the first year from early seeding! Blooms from late May on, producing quantities of charming crinkled, crepe-textured flowers.** Pkt. 25¢

**3270 Pink Champagne. 1½ ft. Silky textured, crinkled flowers in warm, glowing pink suffused with gold. (Illustrated.)**

**3285 Breck's Selected Giants. 15 to 18".**

**Stunning orange and yellow shades running into soft pinks and apricot.**

### ORIENTAL POPPIES Perennial

**Spectacular for the June garden! Enormous blooms of startling brilliance. 3 ft. (See illus.)**

**3295 Oriental. Brilliant scarlet.**

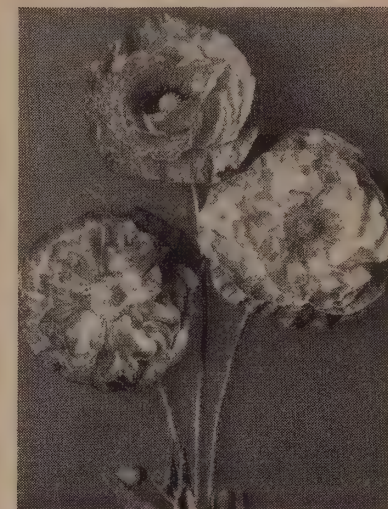
**3298 Princess Victoria Louise. Salmon.**

**3301 Mixed Hybrids. Fine assortment.**

**Above Pkts. 25¢ each**



**\*3130 Star Phlox, Twinkle**



**3228 Double Shirley Poppy, Sweet Briar**



**3270 Iceland Poppy, Pink Champagne**



**3295 Oriental Poppy**



### PORTULACA—Moss Rose Annual

Broad, sprawling plants completely covered with bright, dazzling blooms all summer. Thrives on hot, dry soils where other plants die! Marvelous for borders.

**3317 All Double Blend.** 4 to 6 in. Large double blooms in a beautiful assortment of brilliant colors. (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.50

**3320 Single-Flowered Mixed.** 4 to 6 in. Large, single blooms. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.25

### PRIMROSES Perennial

Plant in shaded nooks or combine with spring bulbs for April and May bloom.

**3336 Polyanthus, Giant Mixed.** 6 to 8 in. Big clusters, wide color range. Pkt. 35¢

**PRIMULA-MALACOIDES** —See page 25

### RICINUS Annual

#### Castor Oil Bean

**3418 Zanzibariensis.** 10 ft. Use this stately plant to screen unsightly views! Huge leaves in varying shades of green to bronzy purple. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

### SALPIGLOSSIS Annual

**3472 Salpiglossis Mixed.** 2½ ft. Like giant Petunias — these have intricate veining of gold on velvety flowers. Fine shades of yellow, cream, purple, red, bronze. Pkt. 25¢; ⅛ oz. 75¢

### SALVIAS Annual

**3483 Farinacea Blue Bedder.** 3 ft. Wedgewood-blue flowers combine with silvery stems and foliage. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 1.00

**3495 Bonfire.** 2 ft. The most popular variety! Brilliant scarlet flower spikes standing well above the dark green foliage. Pkt. 25¢

**3500 St. Johns Fire.** 12 to 15 in. Most brilliant scarlet blooms from mid-July until frost. Flowers early when only a few inches high. Pkt. 35¢

**3504 Scarlet Pygmy.** 8 in. Flaming red flowers . . . dwarf bushy plants . . . dark-green foliage . . . and five whole months of brilliant color! Blooms June till frost. (Illus.) Pkt. 35¢

### SCABIOSA Annual

**3540 Breck's Special Mixture.** 2½ ft. New, improved strain! Big, fully double, high centered flowers on long stems. Rich shades of blue, maroon, red, white, pink and light yellow. Good for bouquets. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 25¢

### SCABIOSA Perennial

**3571 Isaac House Hybrids.** 1½ to 2 ft. Huge flowers in shades of blue, mauve, lavender, white; long stems. Blooms June-Sept. Pkt. 25¢

### SCHIZANTHUS Annual

#### Butterfly Flower

**3574 Angel Wings.** 12-15 in. Long known as "poor man's orchid!" This tremendously improved new strain has blooms with distinct gold centers contrasting with all shades of pink, crimson, yellow, purple, lavender and rose. Neat dwarf plants with lacy, fern-like foliage. (Illustrated) Pkt. 25¢

### SNOW-ON-THE-MOUNTAIN

Annual

**1858 Euphorbia Variegata.** 2 ft. Hardy, easy to grow. Lends a cool tranquility to midsummer gardens. Soft green leaves edged in silvery white provide a perfect foil for other brightly-colored blooms. Gives an exquisite "lacy" effect to arrangements! Likes sunshine. Repeats for years if self-sown seedlings are left undisturbed. (See illustration.)

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢



3504 Salvia, Scarlet Pygmy



3317 Portulaca, Double Mixed



3540 Scabiosa Mixed



3574 Schizanthus, Angel Wings



1858 Snow-On-The-Mountain

### SHASTA DAISIES Perennial

**1315 Giant Double Shasta.** 2½-3 ft. Huge double and semi-double blooms of purest white, mid-July to frost. Pkt. 50¢

**1324 Giant Single Alaska.** 2½-3 ft. Much larger than old-fashioned singles. Blooms all summer, from early June. Pkt. 25¢

**SNAPDRAGON** —See page 8.

### STATICE—Everlasting Annual

**3582 Sinuata Mixed.** 2 ft. Lasts for months when dried; excellent cut-flower fresh or dried. Lovely branching plants with many sprays of tiny flowers, in shades of blue, pink, yellow, white. (Illus. in color, p. 19.) Pkt. 25¢

### FRAGRANT STOCKS Annual

Spicily fragrant gilliflowers, marvelous for cutting; like cool, moist growing conditions. Start indoors for best results. 2 ft.

**3640 Breck's Apricot Beauty.** Finest stock ever!

Pastels of apricot-pink, cream. Continuous bloom, long lasting. Pkt. 50¢

### Giants of California

**3735 Exquisite Mixture.** Pkt. 25¢

### GIANT, FRAGRANT STOCKS COLLECTION

1 Pkt. each—5 separate colors.

Blood Red, Lavender, Rose  
White, Yellow

Order Group  
No. 3740

1.25 VALUE!

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### TRYSONIC 7 WEEK STOCKS FOR WARM CLIMATES

**3720.** 12-15 in. NEW! A warm weather stock that flowers in just 7 weeks! Neat branching plants with fully double, fragrant, brilliant flowers from pure white through pink, rose, crimson, blue, purple. Pkt. 35¢



3710 Strawberries, Dean's

### PICK FRESH STRAWBERRIES

From Seed Sown In March!

**3710 Dean's Improved Strain, Baron Solemacher . . .** only at Breck's! Berries the first year if seed is started in March . . . and from May on in years to come! Twice the size of wild fruit, yet with the same unique flavor! Neat, bushy plants have no runners—can be part of your flower garden. (Illus.) Pkt. 50¢



## SWEET PEAS *Annual*

**Cuthbertson Floribunda.** New warm-weather Sweet Peas actually flower in hot weather! Vigorous, heat-resistant vines have five or more large, fragrant flowers. (See illustration)

**3785 Mixed Colors.** An excellent blend of all the best colors in Sweet Peas.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. 1.35

### BOUQUET GEMS

6 colors of Cuthbertson Floribunda, the new heat-resistant Sweet Pea! 1 pkt. ea. of **Daisy**, pure white; **Danny**, deep blue; **David**, rosy carmine; **Frank G.**, lavender; **Evelyn**, salmon; **Ruth**, rose pink.

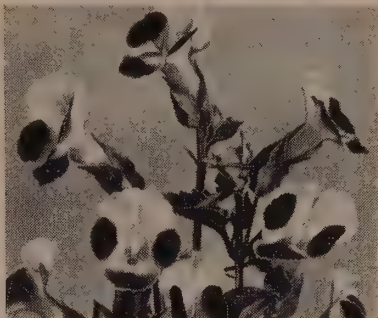
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1.50 VALUE!

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3785 Sweet Peas, Floribunda Mixed



3952 Torenia



3932 Sweet William, Single Mixed



4133 Large Fld. Viola, Toyland



4056 Verbena Dwarf, Sparkle Mixed

## TAHOKA DAISY *Annual*

**3940.** 18 in. The only really good blue Daisy. Clear, lavender-blue 2-in. blooms with small golden yellow centers. Good cut flower; blooms June to October. Pkt. 25¢

## TITHONIA *Annual*

**\*3950 Torch.** 4-4½ ft. Long-lasting, brilliant orange-red flowers on long stems. Flowers 3-4 in. across resemble single Dahlias. Likes hot, sunny places. Pkt. 25¢

## TORENIA *Annual*

**3952.** 1 ft. One of the most beautiful annuals that should be better known. Flowers resemble little Snapdragons in gorgeous combinations of pansy purple and sky blue with yellow throat markings. Dwarf, neat, compact; wonderful edging plant good in partial shade. (See illustration.) Pkt. 25¢



2665 Unicorn Plant (Martynia)

## UNICORN PLANT *Annual*

**2665 Martynia.** Bold round "devil's claw" leaves, up to 12" across . . . with pale yellow orchid-like blooms, handsomely marked with contrasting deep purple spots in throat! Seed pods, which follow the flowers, resemble fantastic birds or weird, prehistoric insects. Use for decorating! Paint them and use as gourd strings, or unique dried arrangements for mantel, buffet! (See illustration.) Pkt. 25¢

## LARGE-FLOWERED VIOLAS

### Tufted Pansies *Perennial*

Violas are faithful little plants — producing hundreds of gay, Pansy-like blooms in clear, sparkling self-colors all season! Charming for edging, shady nooks. 6 in.

**4133 Toyland.** An F2 Viola as new as tomorrow! Breck is proud to introduce this brand new innovation! The first hybrid Viola . . . big 2-in. flowers with graceful wavy petals in clear, sparkling colors that include apricot, gold, blue, red, mahogany, purple, black, white and many striking combinations! Plants are sturdy and compact, easy to grow. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 50¢

### DWARF VERBENA *Annual*

**4056 Sparkle Mixed.** 10 in. From scarlet-red through rose and pink to salmon, lavender, white, mid-blue and purple, this delightful mixture will blanket your borders with brilliant color all summer! Many flowers have the typical Verbena eye. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 25¢

### TALL VERBENAS *Annual*

**4048 Mixed.** Handsome trailing bedding plants, with dark green foliage and broad clusters of flowers in the clearest, most brilliant colors known! Seed sown indoors in early March will bloom in June and continue until frost. Up to 18 in. high. Pkt. 25¢

## HARDY SWEET PEAS *Perennial*

**2303 Lathyrus Latifolius Mixed.** 5 to 6 ft. Vigorous climber for trellis, fence, porch. Produces long-stemmed rose-pink or white blooms all summer. Pkt. 25¢

## SWAN RIVER DAISIES *Annual*

**3757 Brachycome Iberidifolia.** 1 ft. Plants alive all summer with inch-wide daisies. Clear, bright shades of blue, mauve, pink, pure white. Pkt. 25¢

## STRAWFLOWERS *Annual* Everlasting

**2118 Helichrysum Mixed.** 3 ft. Attractive in the garden and bouquets. Large, double flowers in a wide range of both subdued and brilliant colors. Cut before fully open; suspend downward in a cool place to dry. Pkt. 25¢

## SUMMER POINSETTIA *Annual*

**1856 Euphorbia heterophylla.** 2 ft. Spectacular from midsummer on—when top leaves turn brilliant scarlet! Resembles Poinsettias. Grows in any soil. Pkt. 25¢

## SUNFLOWERS *Annual*

**3742 Giant Russian.** 4-5 ft. Easily grown, decorative, hardy annuals, useful as screens or high hedges. Birds love them! Pkt. 25¢

**3753 Italian White.** 3 to 4 ft. Produce many fine 3-4 in. cut flowers. Yellow, cream to white; contrasting brown centers. Pkt. 25¢

**3755 Double Chrysanthemum-Flowered Sun Gold.** 6 to 7 ft. Neat blooms 4-5 in.—full and double! Brilliant golden yellow. Pkt. 25¢

## SWEET WILLIAMS *Annual*

**3915 Breck's Annual Mixed.** 1 ft. Early-sown seed will bloom first year—often lives over several years. Wide range of beautiful colors—mottled, starred. Very fragrant. Pkt. 25¢

## SWEET WILLIAMS *Biennial*

Old-fashioned biennials for June color—splendid for bouquets. An old favorite from grandmother's garden. 1½ ft.

**3920 Dark Crimson.** Pkt. 25¢

**3924 Newport Pink.** Bright pink. Pkt. 25¢

**3932 Breck's Single Mixture.** (Illus.) Pkt. 25¢

**3934 Breck's Double Mixture.** Pkt. 25¢



## BRECK'S GIANT ZINNIAS

Breck's Giant Zinnias are truly giant. Chosen from the best of the California Giant and Dahlia flowered types for huge 6 in. flowers in the newest and best colors, they produce hundreds on long sturdy stems. 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢, except where noted.

- 4306 Canary Bird.** Rich canary yellow. Illus. in color, p. 20.  
**4310 Dream.** Deep rosy lavender.  
**4312 Exquisite.** Light rose, deep center. Illus. in color, p. 20.  
**4286 Miss Wilmott.** Clear pink.  
**4308 Crimson Monarch.** Velvety crimson. Illus. in color, p. 20.  
**4318 Oriole.** Orange and gold.  
**4287 Pink Lady.** (Illus.) Buff outer petals, pink center. Pkt. 35¢  
**4320 Polar Bear.** White. Illus. in color, p. 20.  
**4321 Royal Purple.** Rich purple.  
**4291 Scarlet Queen.** Deep shining scarlet.  
**4329 Mixed.** All color. Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 1.00

### GIANT ZINNIA COLLECTION

6 colors from above, 1 pkt. ea.

Crimson	Lavender	Rose
White	Pink	Yellow

Order No. 4335 1.50 VALUE!

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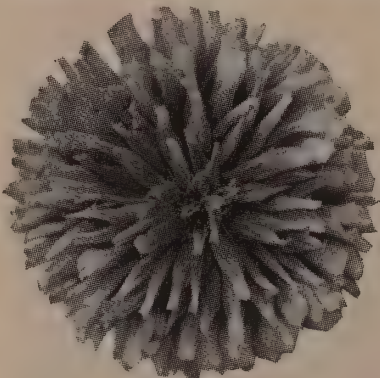
4287 Zinnia, Pink Lady



4417 Lilliput Zinnias, Mixed



4392 Zinnia, Ortho Polka



4304 Zinnia, Merry-Go-Round

## GARDEN OF ZINNIAS

6 outstanding types, 1 pkt. ea. Complete color range in each type.

Cactus—Flowered	Sunshine Tints
Dahlia—Flowered	Persian Carpet
Ortho Polka	Cupid

Order Group No. 4550 1.40 VALUE!

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## DWARF DEFIANCE ZINNIAS

### Cut and Come Again

Ideal for cut-flowers and low borders where the larger flowered Zinnias are too tall. Medium-sized blooms; 2 ft. high.

**4386 Choice Mixed.** Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

## ORTHO POLKA ZINNIA

**4392** 3 ft. (Illustrated.) NEW, DIFFERENT AND EXCITING! Huge 5 in. flowers in all the Zinnia colors—red, pink, white, lavender, salmon orange, etc.—are striped, mottled and dotted with contrasting colors. Hardly any two flowers are alike! Pkt. 25¢

## NEW CENTURY

**4504** 2 1/2 ft. The first polyploid Zinnia! A new era of exciting beauty opens with these mammoth 7 in., saucer-size blooms in glowing shades of rose, buff, gold, pink and red. They give a luminous effect to garden or flower arrangements. Pkt. 25¢

## PRIZE ZINNIAS

### FUTURAMA ZINNIA COLLECTION

A glorious combination of gigantic blooms, fantastic forms, new and different colors! Your garden will be the "talk of the town" for months!

1 pk. each: **Miss Universe, Pink Lady, Merry-Go-Round, Pride of Dieldrin.**

Order Group  
No. 4510

1.10 VALUE!

75¢

## CUPID ZINNIAS

**4547 Mixed.** 6-8 in. Cute as a button and neat as a pin! Compact plants smothered with bright, shining flowers of the pompon-type. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

## SUPER CROWN O' GOLD

**4260 Pastel Tints Mixed.** 2 1/2 ft. These are "high fashion" with us and you'll agree, once you've grown them! Beautiful immense, showy blooms in glowing soft shades of yellow, apricot, pink, salmon, buff, cream and white. Each petal is overlaid at the base with a deep golden yellow, giving a two-tone effect.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

## MISS UNIVERSE

**4500.** 2 ft. A completely new Zinnia with gigantic, perfectly-formed flowers up to 7 in. across on long, strong stems. Lovely shades of pink, gold, red orange and all the soft pastels, including many exciting two-tone combinations. Pkt. 25¢

**4304 Merry-Go-Round.** 2 ft. A real bicolor Zinnia! Two distinct contrasting colors in each flower. Combinations such as red and gold, purple and white, rose and gold, etc. Hardly any two alike! Petal arrangement and color create an illusion of "merry-go-round" motion! Heavy textured flowers are longer-lasting in bouquets. (Illustrated.) Pkt. 25¢

## GIANT HYBRID

### CACTUS-FLOWERED ZINNIAS

A new race of giant "fluffy" or informal Zinnias. Quilled and curled petals give a shaggy appearance. Huge blooms up to 6 in. across in a full color assortment. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 25¢ ea.

- \*4300 Blaze.** Fiery-red. Illus. in color, p. 19.  
**4295 Eskimo.** White, opens creamy.  
**4296 Riverside Beauty.** Glowing Azalea pink. Illustrated in color, p. 19.  
**4297 Sunny Boy.** Butter yellow.  
**4298 Ice Cream.** Pure cream. Illus. in color, p. 19.  
**4490 Apricot.** Coral-suffused apricot.  
**4491 Gold.** Golden yellow. (Illus., p. 19).  
**4493 Pride of Dieldrin.** Scarlet, tipped golden orange.  
**4493 All Colors Mixed.** Incl. all above colors.

### BRECK'S GIANT HYBRID CACTUS ZINNIA GARDEN

A fantasy of color and beauty!  
6 separate colors.

Blaze	Sunny Boy
Eskimo	Riverside Beauty
Apricot	Pride of Dieldrin

Order Group No. 4497 1.50 VALUE!

135

## PERSIAN CARPET ZINNIAS

**\*4330** 1 ft. Blooms no bigger than a half dollar cover the plants! Shades range from cream through yellow to deep mahogany; contrasting petal tips. Pkt. 25¢ 1/16 oz. 85¢

## BRECK'S LILLIPUT ZINNIAS

**Pompon or Baby Zinnias** (See illustration)  
There's a wealth of cutting in each compact beauty. Small, rounded, very double flowers in gay colors. 1-2 ft. Pkt. 25¢ ea.

- \*4403 Black Ruby.** Deep, velvety maroon.  
**4405 Canary Gem.** Light, canary yellow.  
**4411 Pink Gem.** Very clear deep pink.  
**4413 Salmon Gem.** Rich salmon-rose  
**4414 Scarlet Gem.** Brilliant red.  
**4415 White Gem.** Beautiful pure white.  
**4417 Mixed.** All colors. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢

### LILLIPUT COLLECTION

5 colors from above, 1 pkt. ea.

Maroon	Salmon	Pink
Yellow	White	

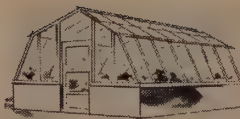
Order No. 4425 1.25 VALUE!

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# HOME GREENHOUSE

And Conservatory Dept.



**ABUTILON** *Flowering Maple or Chinese Bell Flower*  
**0028 Mixed Colors.** 2½-3 ft. An interesting plant with foliage resembling the maple leaf. Bell-shaped flowers come in pastel shades of red, pink, yellow and white. Easily grown from seed. Allow 2 to 3 weeks for seed to start. Pkt. 35¢

## AFRICAN VIOLETS

**4145** Seed collected from choice named varieties, including blues, purples, mauves, lavender, etc. Pkt. 75¢

## ANTIRRHINUMS Snapdragons

Seed sown in January and February will flower in May and June. Sow in July for flowering from December through March. The following are tall, strong growing F1 Hybrids.

**0317 Christina.** Light pink. Pkt. 2.50

**0320 Maryland Red.** Bright red. Pkt. 2.50

**0324 Patricia.** Yellow Pkt. 2.50

**0326 Snowman.** Pure white. Pkt. 2.50

**0337 Hybrid Formula Mixture.** Pkt. 2.50

## BEGONIA *Semperflorens*

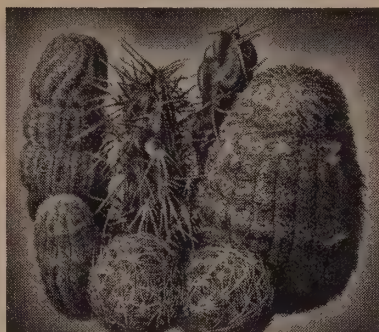
**0821** 6 in. Imported mixture contains many charming colors from pure white through pinks and rose to crimson. Pkt. 35¢

## BROWALLIA

**0865 Speciosa major.** 1 ft. Rich gentian-violet flowers, like miniature Petunias. Pkt. 50¢

## CACTUS

0867 Here's a fascinating hobby! Our intriguing mixture of rare and unusual cacti has many strange and extraordinary varieties, as well as more commonly seen types! Easily grown from seed. Germination irregular, over a period of 2 to 6 weeks. Instructions. (See illustration) Pkt. 35¢



0867 Cactus



1530 Cyclamen, Mixed Colors



1422 Coleus



1865 Fuchsia

## CALCEOLARIA

**0868 Breck's Prize Mixed.** An outstanding large flowered strain. Shades of yellow, maroon, crimson, etc. Pkt. 1.00

## CINERARIA

**1350 Breck's Dwarf Mixed.** Medium-sized flowers in large heads on compact plants. Bright to pastel shades. Pkt. 1.00

## COLEUS *Beef Steak Plant*

**1422 Mixture.** 2 ft. Includes a wide selection of choicest colors and unusual color combinations. Striking foliage plant for bedding and edging. Nice house plant. (See illus.) Pkt. 35¢

## CROSSANDRA

**1500** Glossy Gardenia-like foliage with attractive, clear salmon-pink flowers. Spring-sown seed makes large plants for fall, winter bloom. Pkt. 1.00

## CYCLAMEN

**Breck's Giant Strain.** Flowers of superb size and perfect form, held above ornamental foliage.

**1530 Mixed Colors.** (See illus.) Pkt. 75¢

## FUCHSIA

**1865 Single and Double Mixed.** One of the few bright, showy flowers that bloom in partial shade. Start indoors early for first-year bloom, sowing the seed thinly. (Illustrated) Pkt. 35¢

## GERANIUM

**1941 Special Blend.** 1 to 2 ft. Finest American and European varieties; wide range of colors. Germinates irregularly for 2 months. Pkt. 35¢

## IMPATIENS *Patient Lucy*

**2228 New Dwarf Varieties Mixed.** 6 to 8 in. Exceptionally free-flowering strain for pots or shaded gardens. Blooms mid-summer on. Has soft as well as bright shades, from white and buff to pink, carmine, orchid. Pkt. 50¢

## PASSION VINE

**2890 Passiflora coerulea.** A really exotic, 3-dimensional flower! The bottom row of petals is similar to Magnolia, the second quilled and incurved, and the center raised in intricate forms. Blue with white petals. Pkt. 35¢

## PRIMULA MALACOIDES

**3340 Mixed Colors.** Sow from June through Sept. A splendid blend of shades. Pkt. 75¢

## SENSITIVE PLANT

**2673 Mimosa.** 1 ft. Pretty little clusters of fluffy pink flowers. Touch the delicate fern-like foliage and watch it close tightly. Germination is irregular from 10 to 20 days. Pkt. 35¢

## STOCKS *Non-Branching Column*

2½ ft. Produces a single stem closely set with large double flowers.

**3610 Mixed**

Pkt. 50¢

**TINY TIM TOMATO**—See page 34.

## BRECK'S HOUSE PLANT COLLECTION!

A well-chosen assortment for either novice or gardener of long standing! 1 pkt. each of these popular varieties!

**0028 Abutilon** **0867 Cactus**  
**1422 Coleus** **1941 Geranium**  
**2228 Impatiens**

Order Group  
 No. 2230

1.90 VALUE!

**150**

## GREENHOUSE THERMOMETER

Registers three different temperatures—the present reading, as well as the lowest and the highest readings since last setting. Easy to read, accurate and durable. Measures 11½ x 2½ in. Range 30° to 120° F. Resets easily with magnet included. (Wt. 1 lb.)

**2785 Taylor M-M Thermometer.**

12.95

## RUBBER APRONS

Protective, moisture-proof rubber apron. Soft, pliable, yet tough and durable.

**2501 Rubber Apron.** (Wt. 2 lbs.)

3.50

## BUDDING KNIFE

Ideal for making cuttings and hundreds of other uses around the home. Made of quality materials throughout . . . chrome vanadium steel blades, hand ground and edged. White handle. Postpaid.

**2771 Budding Knife, 2 blades.**

3.50

## TYING MATERIALS

**2705 Sea Island Twine.** Soft green twine for greenhouse or outdoor use. Keeps plants tidy; blends with foliage. Ball. Postpaid.

Ea. 45¢; 12 for 4.80

## ELECTRA —5-10-3

### The Fertilizer Florists Use!

Perfectly balanced organic fertilizer provides uniform growth and color Easy-to-use 12-oz. shaker top container. Complete directions.

**3364 Electra.** 12 oz. (Wt. 1 lb.)

50¢

**3365 Electra.** 5 lb. (Wt. 5 lbs.)

1.25

**3366 Electra.** 20 lb. (Wt. 20 lbs.)

3.75

## HANG-A-POT *Flower Pot Holder*

Safe concealed supports, easily attached, display plants attractively in the greenhouse, the home or outdoors. Pots remove easily for watering. Sturdy. Holds pots up to 7 in. diam.

**2532 Hang-A-Pot.** Set of 3. Postpaid. 1.00

## The NEW "GREENHOUSE GARDENING" for Everyone!

Want to grow plants under glass in your greenhouse or cold frame? Complete, new, revised book by expert Ernest Chabot tells you how to have more beautiful flowers the year 'round from seeds, cuttings, bulbs! 252 pages, illus., many helpful charts, tables.

**1902 Greenhouse Gardening.** Ppd.

4.75 25



# BRECK'S TRIPLE-TESTED VEGETABLE SEEDS

## Alphabetical Listing

You can be sure of BIGGER, BETTER CROPS WITH BRECK'S SEEDS! Our consistently high quality, standards, repeated tests and liberal guarantee mean better vegetables for you! Read these pages carefully and enjoy a garden filled with these scrumptious, vitamin-rich vegetables. BRECK'S SELLS THE BEST SEEDS THAT MONEY CAN BUY!

### IMPORTED "FRENCH" BEANS

**5016 Triomphe de Farcy.** 45 days. First to mature! Straight, slim stringless round green pod. Pick when 4½ in. long. Delicious, easy to grow. 15-in. plants. Supply limited.  
Pkt. 55¢;  
½ lb. 95¢;  
1 lb. 1.75

### GREEN SNAP BUSH BEANS

1 lb. will sow about 50 feet

**\*5017 Pearlgreen.** 53 days. Bushy vigorous, mosaic-resistant, all-purpose snap bean with round, straight, 6-in. long green pods. Firm flesh, white seeds.

½ lb. 70¢; lb. 1.25; 5 lbs. 5.95

**\*5019 Topcrop.** 52 days. Best green round bean. Long meaty 6-in. pods, tender and stringless. For continuous supply, plant every 2 wks. from May to mid-July.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**5023 Contender.** 55 days. Splendid new, flat, green bean; tender, succulent.

½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢; 5 lbs. 4.50

**5024 Stringless Green Pod.** 50 days. Round.

½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 5 lbs. 4.00

**\*5025 Seminole.** 55 days. AAS Silver Medal Winner. Exceptional flavor. Pods smooth, round, about 5½-in. long.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**\*5026 Wade.** 52 days. Top-quality green round bean for table use, canning, freezing.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**\*5027 Gardengreen.** 52 days Superseding Improved Tendergreen, this new heavy-cropping bean has long, 5½-in. straight, round stringless and fiberless pods. Strong, bushy plants hold pods well off ground. All America Bronze Medal Winner.

½ lb. 70¢; 1 lb. 1.25; 5 lbs. 5.95

**5028 Bountiful.** 49 days. Popular flat bean.

½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 5 lbs. 4.00

**\*5036 Plentiful.** 52 days. Flat bean.

½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 5 lbs. 4.00

### BAKING VARIETIES 95 days.

½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 5 lbs. 4.30

**5096 Red Kidney.** **5108 Yellow Eye Impr.**

### BUSH SHELL BEANS 1 lb. sows 50 feet

**5086 French's Horticultural.** 65 days. Finest shell bean! Distinctive, different flavor. Prolific cropper. 7-8 in., crimson-splashed pods.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**5052 Low's Champion (Red Cranberry).** 55 days.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75



### NEW ITALIAN POLE BEAN

**5224** 70 days. A pole bean with a different flavor! Vines are loaded with long, wide-podded beans—perfectly stringless, tender, meaty. Ideal for small gardens because of jumbo crop.

Pkt. 45¢; ½ lb. 75¢; lb. 1.40; 5 lbs. 6.50

### POLE BEANS 1 lb. will sow about 200 hills

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 5 lbs. 4.30 except where otherwise priced.

**5213 White-Seeded Kentucky Wonder.** 65 days. "Kentucky Wonder" flavor without strings! Long, straight, green.

**5211 Kentucky Wonder (Old Homestead).** 60 days.

**5226 Worcester Horticultural.** 80 days. Climbing bush type. Pick until frost.

**5233 Scarlet Runner.** 90 days.

**5218 Kentucky Wonder Wax.** 67 days. Yellow form of Kentucky Wonder.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

### YELLOW WAX BUSH BEANS

1 lb. will sow about 50 feet

**\*5060 Puregold Wax.** 58 days. Finest round, golden wax bean! Delicious, buttery flavor unmatched by any other! 1 lb. will sow 50 ft.

½ lb. 55¢;  
1 lb. 1.00;  
5 lbs. 4.75

UNDERLINED ITEMS are those we particularly recommend. We have found, through years of testing, that they are tops for quality, flavor, productivity!

**5068 Pencil-Pod Black Wax.** 54 days.

½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 5 lbs. 4.30

**5062 Golden Wax, Imp. Rustproof.** 48 days.

½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**5064 Sure Crop Wax (Golden Bountiful).** 53 days. Rich, golden butter beans, thick pods.

½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 5 lbs. 4.30

### 3 BEST BUSH BEANS

TOP CROP—Green Snap  
PUREGOLD—Yellow Wax  
FR. HORTICULTURAL—  
Shell

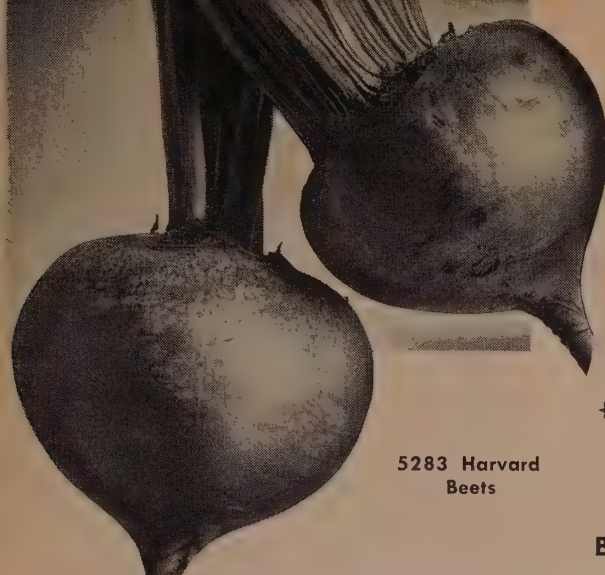
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Order Group  
No. 8501  
1.65 VALUE! **1<sup>25</sup>**

1 lb. ea. at left  
Order Group  
No. 8502  
3.00 VALUE! **2<sup>35</sup>**



5019  
Bush Bean,  
Topcrop





5283 Harvard Beets



★5334 Jade Cross Brussels Sprouts



5424 Michihli Chinese Cabbage



5630 Summer Pascal Celery

#### "DATED" SEED INSURES FRESHNESS

You're assured of fresh, vigorous seed from BRECK'S! The date of packaging is stamped on each packet!

**BEETS** 1 ounce should sow about 50 feet  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 25¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25  
unless otherwise priced.

**5272 Crosby's Egyptian, Breck's Arlington Strain.** 55 days. Best early beet! Tender tops make delicious greens. Sow directly in garden early in spring and every 3 weeks for all-summer supply.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**5274 Early Wonder.** 52 days. Fast growing top-quality beet for very early summer eating. Tender, sweet and uniform.

**5279 Beets All.** 60 days. Excellent early, main crop beet. Small tops, with smooth, globe-shaped roots of rich blood-red.

**5283 Harvard.** 60 days. Superb quality! Blood-red roots quickly attain good size.

**5297 Detroit Dark Red.** 58 days. Excellent main crop beet. Smooth, dark-red roots.

★**5303 Ruby Queen.** 52 days. Perfect globe-shaped roots of rich red with only a trace of rings. 10-in. tops.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 35¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. 1.75

**5306 Winter Keeper.** 75 days. Splendid late variety. Long ovoid, blood-red roots. Sweet, tender even after winter storage!

**5308 Beets for Greens.** Vitamin-rich greens all summer; sow seed every 2 or 3 wks.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 1.00



5318 Waltham 29 Broccoli

#### BROCCOLI

1 ounce of seed produces about 2000 plants  
**5318 Waltham 29.** 80 days. Superior, new hot-weather strain that does well when others fail. Enjoy from early summer to freezing. Low-growing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. 1.35; ¼ lb. 4.00

**5311 Riviera.** 70 days. An improved type, valued for tenderness and flavor. 3 ft. high, branching. Start in cold-frame for early crop. Start late crops in open ground.  
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 90¢; oz. 1.65

#### BRUSSELS SPROUTS

1 ounce will produce about 2000 plants  
★**5334 Jade Cross.** 110 days. Vigorous, 22-in. Fl hybrid plants that out-produce all other varieties! Uniform stems closely packed with the delicious, blue-green sprouts. All-America Silver Medal winner.  
Pkt. 50¢

**5336 Catskill.** 120 days. Firm, compact, dark green and tasty. Grown by commercial growers everywhere! Every plant produces a tremendous quantity of sweet, delicate sprouts. Splendid for freezing.  
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 1.00

#### CABBAGE

1 ounce of seed produces about 2000 plants  
**5357 Golden Acre.** 62 days. Fine variety for early summer eating. Compact, permits close planting.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5364 Early Jersey Wakefield.** 66 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5368 Danish Ballhead.** 110 days. Exceptionally good late cabbage. Large, solid, rich in flavor, crisp and tender. Keeps flavor in storage. Best kraut.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5391 Savoy Winchester.** 90 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5407 Red Rock.** 100 days. The best of the red-purple cabbages. Delicious mild flavor. One of finest for winter storing.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50



5412 Bonanza Cabbage

**5412 Bonanza.** 75 days. All-season cabbage—firm, round heads, even when small. Cut early or let stand. Remains in perfect condition for weeks. Short cored—slender ribs—tender in all stages.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50; ¼ lb. 4.50

#### CHINESE CABBAGE

1 oz. of seed produces about 5000 plants  
**5424 Michihli.** 75 days. Fresh, it makes crisp, tasty salads—boiled, it has a more-delicate-than-cabbage flavor. Easy-to-grow—garden-fresh over a long season.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

#### CAULIFLOWER

1 ounce of seed will produce about 2000 plants  
**5502 White Bouquet.** 55 days. The finest, whitest cauliflower yet! Close-packed fine-grained head broken into tiny florets. Easiest to grow—large, uniform heads—compact, snow white, and sweet.  
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.00; ¼ oz. 1.75; ½ oz. 3.00



5502 White Bouquet Cauliflower

**5506 Early Snowball.** 55 days. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.00; ¼ oz. 1.75; ½ oz. 3.00

**5509 Early Purple Head.** 80 days. Novelty cauliflower. Lavender-purple heads turn green when cooked. Tastier than white, easier to grow.  
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.00; ¼ oz. 1.75; ½ oz. 3.00

#### CELERY

1 ounce of seed will produce about 3000 plants  
**5612 Golden Self Blanching.** 115 days.  
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. 1.25; ¼ lb. 3.75  
**5630 Summer Pascal.** 120 days. Fine early variety. Plump, tender and stringless.  
Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. 1.25; oz. 2.25  
**5634 Golden Plume (Wonderful).** 115 days.  
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. 1.25; ¼ lb. 3.75  
**5642 Giant Pascal.** 135 days. For late fall and winter. Blanches creamy-white.  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**SPERGON DUST**—Prevent seed decay and damping off with SPERGON! Dust seeds before planting . . . helps to stimulate seedling growth for bigger, better crops. See page 17.



**A BRECK'S  
EXCLUSIVE!  
CREAM-O-  
GOLD**



**PENCIL-THIN  
COB**

**5756** Large, full, deep kernels on a pencil-slim cob. Extra sweet 'n tender! See below for details.

**SWEET CORN**

**5756 Cream-O-Gold.** (Hybrid.) 88 days. Superb quality, delicious uniform tenderness, easy to grow. Each firm ear is 8 to 9 in. long, set with 8 or 10 rows of kernels. The cob isn't much thicker than a lead pencil, so kernels are extra deep . . . extra flavorful. The lusciously sweet pulp is covered with a thin, tender skin. Uniform plants about 5½-ft. tall. (Sold only by Breck's.) Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. 1.10  
**5722 Extra Early White Pearl.** 70 days. Highest quality white table corn in existence! Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢

**CARROTS**

**BRECK'S  
GOLDEN  
BEAUTY** ▶

**5525** 68 days. Sweetest, most tender and delicately flavored carrot we have ever offered! Very easy to grow, good keeper, nicely formed. Rich in vitamins, low in calories. Sow directly into ground from early spring to mid-summer. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢ oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50



1 ounce will sow about 50 feet  
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25  
except where otherwise priced.

**CORN BORER TROUBLE?**

Let RYATOX control them effectively! Use as dust or spray (1 lb. to 6 gallons water). Much safer than DDT! Postpaid.

3039 14 oz. Ryatox, ..... 98¢  
3040 4 lbs. Ryatox, ..... 2.89

**HOME-GROWN CORN**

**TENDER AND SWEET**

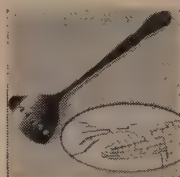
**5732 Golden Bantam. Breck's Choice.** (True Strain). 75 days. As much of an institution with us as the 4th of July! Our true strain of Golden Bantam hasn't lost one whit of its toothsome sweetness that made it famous. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 40¢; lb. 70¢

**5735 Eskimo (Hybrid).** 65 days. Earliest, best available! Disease, cold resistant. Dark green foliage; large sweet kernels. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. 1.10

**5742 Sunlite.** 70 days. Earliest yellow hybrid sweet corn, high yielding. 10 or 12-rowed ears set with perfectly formed yellow kernels. Sweet flavor. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00

**\*5743 Golden Beauty.** Hybrid. 70 days. Silver Medal winner. AAS 1955. Especially valuable for short season areas because of its earliness. High yield, attractive 6-in. ears and sugar-sweet, rich yellow kernels. Pkt. 35¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00

**STAINLESS CORN SLITTERS**



Love corn? Hate shells that lodge between your teeth? Handy stainless steel table tool ends corn-in-teeth problems . . . makes corn tastier, easier to eat, digest! Just draw it down cob . . . 5 tiny prongs slit every kernel in several rows at once! You eat only tasty meat, no shells! 5" long. **6436** Set of 4. 2.00

**5760 Carmelcross.** (Hybrid). 78 days. Heavy producer with 8-in. ears of superior quality. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢

**5766 Paymaster.** (Hybrid.) 97 days. Deep, rich yellow kernels. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢

**CRISP, VITAMIN-PACKED!**

**\*5527 Gold Pak.** 77 days. Bronze Medal winner. Long, very slender and smooth. Crisp, tender, mild and sweet-flavored . . . ideal for salads and eating raw. Pkt. 25¢ ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5542 Supreme Half-long Breck's Choice.** 75 days.

**5546 Hutchinson (Waltham strain).** 80 days. Strong, full flavor and high carotene content—deep rich-orange color. Large, good winter keeper. Produces a bumper crop in small space.

**5564 Danvers Half-Long.** 75 days.

**5570 Tendersweet.** 77 days. Outstanding for the home gardener. Roots average 8 to 10 in. long and are better flavored than any other for their size. Ideal for winter use.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. 1.95

**WALTHAM HI-COLOR CARROT** ▶

**5526** 70 days. Introduced by the Waltham, Mass., Field Station. The brightest orange carrot we have seen! Long, slender roots, sweet and tender, full of vitamins. Waltham Hi-Color, raw or cooked, will brighten any meal! A delight to the eye as well as the appetite! . . . so easy to grow and a pleasure to eat!

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**ALL-SUMMER CORN**

1 pkt. each of: Sunlite, Carmelcross, Golden Cross Bantam, Paymaster  
Order No. 8536  
1.00 VALUE! 4 Pkts.

**80¢**

Why plant corn over a long period of time? Sow these 4 varieties at the same time and they'll ripen in succession 10 wks. after planting 'til the end of summer! For best results, plant short rows, side by side, rather than 1 long row.

**5781 Black Mexican.** 87 days. A worthwhile novelty. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢

**5787 Golden Cross Bantam.** (Hybrid.) 88 days. The standard of excellence in Sweet Corn! Enormous yield, uniform size. Ears are 8-in. long; 10 to 14 rows. Butter-yellow kernels are sugar-sweet, succulent and tender.

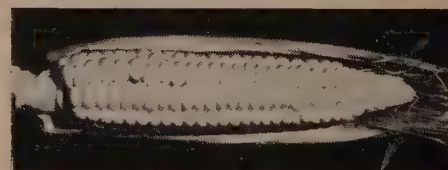
Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00

**5802 Country Gentleman.** 97 days. White. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢

**5807 Stowell's Evergreen.** 99 days. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢

**MIDGET SWEET CORN**

**5720 Breck's Harvard Hybrid.** 78 days. Sold exclusively by Breck's. The 6-in. ears are well-filled with the most tender, sugary-sweet kernels you've ever tasted! Pkt. 35¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00

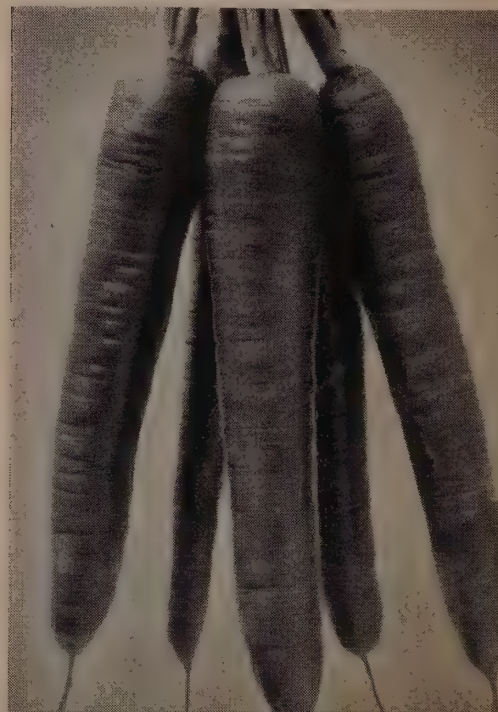


**5721 Mason's Golden Midget.** 68 days. Neat, low growing 3-ft. corn with the tenderness and sweetness of Golden Bantam. Small well-filled ears, deep butter-yellow kernels.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ lb. 85¢; lb. 1.50

**5745 White Midget.** 65 days. Grows about 30 in. tall, with two to five ears 4-in. long on each stock.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ lb. 1.00; lb. 1.85





# Grow Your Own Luscious **SALAD FIXINGS!**

## CELERIAC

1 oz. of seed will produce about 3000 plants  
**5675 Large Prague.** 110 days. Unique for flavoring soups, salads, stews. Large roots with nut-like flavor. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢

## CHICORY

1 ounce of seed will sow a 100 ft. row  
**5446 Witloof.** 150 days. Known as French Endive. Seed sown in May produces forcing size roots by fall. Can be home grown all winter. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢  
**5454 Asparagus.** See Dandelion, Italian.

## COLLARDS

**5691 Georgia Green.** 80 days. Popular in the South. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

## CORN SALAD

**5695 Large-Leaved.** 60 days. A mild tasting green with an entirely different flavor. Large leaves are tender, crisp for salads; cooked like spinach, they're delicious, unusual. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢

## CUCUMBERS

**5839 Breck's Perfection.** 60 days. (Illus.) Superior crisp, cool slicing cuke. A great favorite with home gardeners. Rich, dark green, medium-sized uniform fruits . . . solid flesh of exceptional flavor. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15



5839 Breck's Perfection Cucumber

**\*5832 Surecrop Hybrid.** 58 days. (Illus.) Best early hybrid, yields an amazing crop of big, slender, delicious, slicing cukes. A true hybrid, disease resistant, heavy yielder. The crisp white flesh is mild, thick and delicious.

Pkts. only (30 seeds) 35¢

**\*5845 Cubit.** 68 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00

**\*5847 Marketer.** 65 days. Small seed cavity. Famous for its big yield.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**5856 Arlington White Spine.** 60 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**5864 The Henderson.** 68 days. Early and prolific . . . fruits large, uniform, intense deep green. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 1.15

**5869 Longfellow.** 70 days. 12 to 16 in.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**\*5872 Straight-8.** 68 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

## CUCUMBERS (Continued)

**5867 White Wonder.** 58 days. Creamy white skin; mild, delicious flesh; few seeds. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**5883 West India Gherkin.** 60 days. Distinct type. Produces great quantities of tiny fruits. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**5885 Hycrop Hybrid (Pickling).** 54 days. Early new hybrid is more slender, has deeper skin color and crisper, sweeter flavored flesh. Equally good in all stages for gherkins, dill, bread and butter, or sliced pickles. Vigorous. Pkt. 35¢

**5884 Boston Pickling.** 58 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

## DANDELION

1 oz. sows a 200 foot row  
**5916 American Improved.** 95 days. Far superior to the wild variety. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50; ¼ lb. 4.50

**5454 Italian Dandelion.** Cichoria Catalogna. Radichette. 60 days. Rapid growing early green. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢



5903 Ace of Spades Egg Plant

**EGGPLANT** 1 oz. of seed, about 1000 plants  
**5903 Ace of Spades.** (Hybrid.) 70 days.

Tremendously prolific new hybrid with fine, uniform, rich deep purplish-black fruits well off the ground. Quality is excellent; delicate, fine-textured. Pkt. 35¢

**5905 Extra Early Long Purple.** 75 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**5907 Black Beauty.** 80 days. Handsome large fruits of deep purplish-black.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

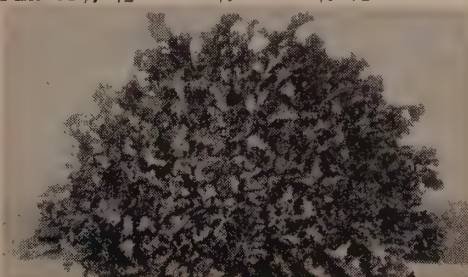
**\*5909 New Hampshire Hybrid.** 68 days. Early. Medium sized, oval, purple fruits. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. 2.50

**KALE** 1 ounce of seed, about 2000 plants  
**5972 Dwarf Blue Curled Scotch.** 85 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢

**5974 Siberian or Winter.** 65 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50



5930 Salad King Endive

## BRECK'S SALAD GARDEN

1 pkt. ea. Breck's Perfection Cucumber, Matchless Lettuce, Cherry Belle Radish, Curled Cress, Waltham Scarlet Tomato, Golden Beauty Carrot. They'll combine endless ways for crisp, zesty salads!

Order Group No. 8547  
 1.40 VALUE

6 Pkts.

**100**

\*5832

Surecrop  
 Hybrid  
 Cucumber



## BRECK'S VEGETABLE SPRAY-DUST

Scientifically formulated spray and dust combination controls bean beetles, insects, diseases on vegetables! Use as a dust or spray. Instr. incl. (See page 48.) Postpaid.  
**2049** ½ lb. Squeeze Can. 65¢

## ENDIVE

1 oz. of seed, about 3000 plants  
**5930 Salad King.** 85 days. Dense heads of delicious, tender, fine curled leaves. Best hot-weather variety. (Illustrated.)

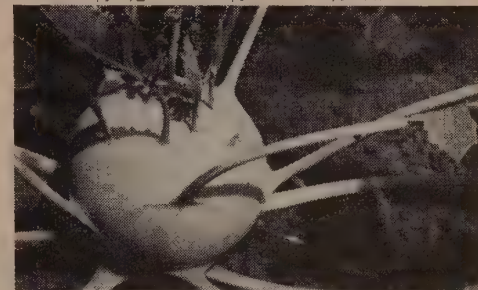
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**\*5931 Full Heart Batavian (Escarolle).** 85 days. Large, compact heads.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**5938 Green Curled.** 90 days. Dense.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50



5956 Early White Vienna Kohlrabi

**KOHLRABI** 1 oz. of seed sows a 150 ft. row  
**5956 Early White Vienna.** 55 days. Delicate flavor—fine grained flesh. (Illus.)

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**5958 Early Purple Vienna.** 60 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

## LEeks

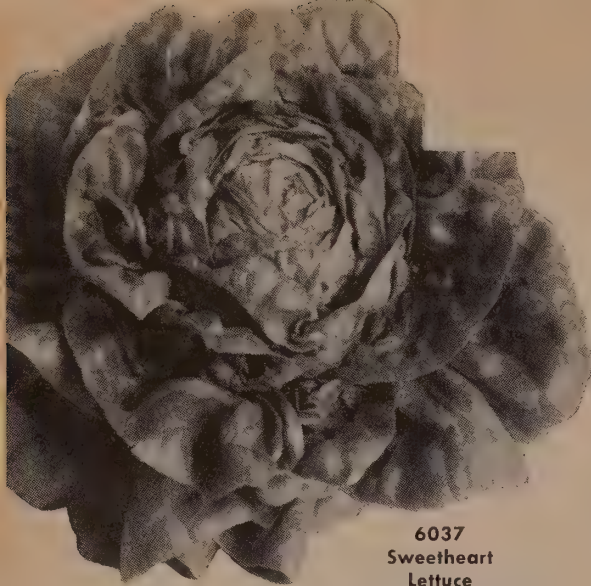
1 oz. of seed will sow a 100 ft. row  
**6014 Large American Flag.** 150 days. Hardy, vigorous, excellent winter sort. Bulbs long; uniform. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.10

## FREE TEST SEEDS!

If You Order Before April 30, 1961!

Be a Breck's test gardener! We'll send you brand-new flower seeds worth 50¢ with every \$2 or more seed, bulb or nursery order we receive before April 30, 1961!





6037  
Sweetheart  
Lettuce

## LETTUCE, Heading and Iceberg Types

1 oz. will produce about 3000 plants

**6037 Sweetheart.** 82 days. NEW! About one third larger and heavier than White Boston, which it replaces in our list. Heads are very uniform, crisp, deep and butter-yellow inside. Outside leaves smooth, straight and light green, showing exceptional tolerance to tip burn. Another step in our program to bring you the very latest and the best. (Illus.)

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**6058 Mignonette.** 65 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

**6085 Tom Thumb.** 60 days. Unusually fine small heads, perfect for individual salads.

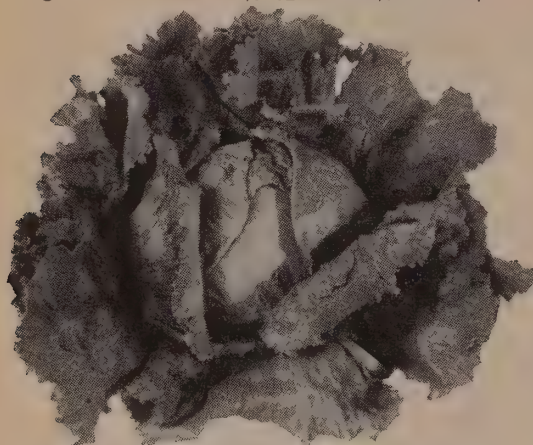
Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**6103 California Iceberg.** 82 days. Select strain of Imperial. The curled, dark leaves form med.-large, crispy heads.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**6141 Bibb.** 57 days. Fine quality, small, headed variety with deep green leaves; interior blanches to yellowish green. Excellent for spring and late summer sowing.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢



★6028 Premier Great Lakes Lettuce

★**6028 Premier Great Lakes.** 75 days. Early Iceberg type. Superb, crisp heads even in mid-summer. Crinkled leaves fold inward, blanching the solid heads to a cool, crisp whiteness. Excellent home garden variety. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**6025 May King.** 63 days. Plants of medium size with light green outer leaves surrounding a tightly folded heart. Unsurpassed early.

30 Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25

## BRECK'S CRISP, GARDEN-FRESH

# LETTUCE

Enjoy the extra-crisp goodness of garden-to-table lettuce all summer long! Freshly-picked, it's the crowning glory of a salad, the flavor-adding flourish to a meal!



6140 Matchless Lettuce

### Loose-Leaf Types

**6140 Matchless.** 65 days. Attractive rich, dark green, crispy, tender leaves can be picked in quantity from May to November! Flavor superb . . . always sweet and delicate. Gourmets agree this is the best for crisp tossed salads. (Illustrated.)

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00

★**6109 Salad Bowl.** 50 days. One head fits a salad bowl! Has a perfect rosette of rich, green, tender, fine-textured leaves.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00

**6115 Grand Rapids.** 45 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25



6132 Oak Leaf Lettuce

**6132 Oak Leaf.** 53 days. Tender all-season lettuce . . . crisp and mild-flavored, even during heat of summer. Small plantings every 2 or 3 weeks will give daily pickings from spring to frost. (Illustrated.)

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**6122 Slobolt.** 45 days. More heat resistant than older varieties. Moderate size, deeply frilled. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00

**6129 Black Seeded Simpson.** 43 days.

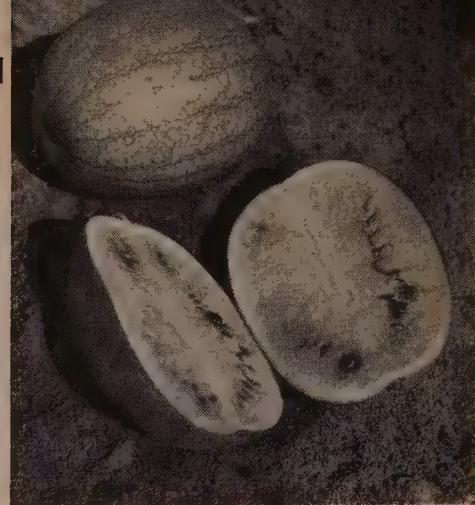
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

★**6119 Ruby.** 42 days. The red lettuce that makes your salads different! Loose-leaf, non-heading with an abundance of frilled and crumpled rich bronze-red leaves. Heat resistant, non-fading, slow to bolt, to seed. Tender and sweet to taste.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**6142 White Paris Cos (Romaine).** 70 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25



6277 Early Midget Hybrid Watermelon

## MELONS TASTE-TEMPTING FLAVORFUL



6180  
Breck's  
Honey Drop

### HONEY-SWEET MUSKMELONS

1 ounce of seed will sow about 60 hills

**6180 Breck's Honey Drop.** 85 days. Finest melon! Thick juicy flesh, wonderful rich orange color and delightful fragrance. (Illus.)

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. 1.15

★**6185 Granite State.** 85 days. Orange flesh. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. 1.15

**6224 Rocky Ford.** 87 days. Sweet green flesh. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

### WATERMELONS

1 oz. of seed will plant 30 hills

★**6273 New Hampshire Midget.** 75 days. True watermelon, only muskmelon size with few seeds! Vines compact, early.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15

**6277 Early Midget Hybrid.** 80 days. F1 Hybrid ice-box watermelon. Almost round fruits average 6 lbs. . . flesh is crisp and red, with black seeds. The vigorous vines produce lots of juicy, mouthwatering watermelons! (Illustrated above.)

Pkt. 50¢; ½ oz. 3.00; oz. 5.00

**6287 Rhode Island Red.** 89 days. Very early and extra sweet. Medium size, 8 to 12 lb. fruits, bright pink-red flesh.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15

**6286 Hybrid Dixie Queen.** 83 days. Early oval, striped watermelon. Pkt. 35¢

**6276 Japanese Seedless.** 80 days. Big, juicy . . . no hard seed! Easy to grow. Sow with another early variety for cross pollination. Pkts. only (12 seeds) 1.00

For a cleaner, healthier garden, use Breck's scientific sprays and dusts . . . specially formulated for home-garden conditions.

See pages 48 and 49.



## ONIONS

1 oz. of seed will plant at least 100 feet

### Yellow Varieties

**6304 Sweet Spanish, Utah Strain.** 110 days. Huge, mild onion, globe shaped. Good slicer for onion rings or sandwiches!

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15

**6308 Ailsa Craig.** 105 days. Grows exceptionally large. Light yellow skin, white flesh, sweet and mild; keeps well.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15

**6302 Espanola.** 110 days. A Peter Henderson specialty. The mildest, sweetest flavored yellow onion! Grows easily from seed. Globe-shaped . . . light yellow skin. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00



6299 Breck's Yellow Globe Danvers

**6299 Yellow Globe Danvers, Breck's Selected.** 100 days. The leading market and home garden variety. Rich, coppery yellow jacket—mild sweet flesh—uniform size—solid. Excellent winter keeper. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. 2.85

### White and Red Varieties

**6324 Southport White Globe.** 112 days. Large, globe shaped; silvery-white skin. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15; ¼ lb. 3.50

**6327 Bermuda Crystal Wax.** 90 days. Flat, mild, medium size—crystal white. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50; ¼ lb. 4.50

**6359 Red Wethersfield.** 100 days. Semi-flat, large—purplish red—solid. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

**6306 Barcelona.** 105 days. A selection from Henderson's Espanola! Pure, silvery white . . . mild, sweet flavor, crisp, tender flesh. Excellent for early green scallions. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.10; ¼ lb. 3.25

### BUNCHING ONIONS—Scallions

**6379 Prosperity.** 60 days. Smooth, sweet and mild—5-in. crystal-white stalks—wonderful for salads, with appetizers. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

### ONION SETS —See page 36.

### MUSTARD

1 oz. of seed will plant about 100 feet

**\*6167 Green Wave.** 60 days. Longest lasting, slowest bolting strain available. Nice curling, dark green color.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25

### OKRA, or GUMBO

1 oz. of seed should produce about 250 plants

**6392 Tall Green** (Perkin's Mammoth). 67 days. Pods are long, slender, fleshy.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**6407 Emerald** (Dwarf Long Pod). 55 days. Vigorous and highly productive in short seasons. Pods are darker and smoothly rounded. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

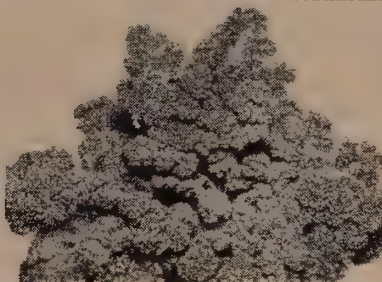


### SPECIAL COLLECTION

All six midget varieties listed at right. Ideally suited for planting in small gardens . . . surprisingly bountiful results!

All Six Midgets, 1 Pkt. Ea.  
Order Group  
No. 8525 2.05 VALUE!

150



6476 Breck's Choice, Double Green Crest Parsley

### PARSLEY For garnishing and flavoring

1 oz. of seed will sow at least 150 feet.

**6476 Double Green Crest.** Breck's Choice. 70 days. Rich, dark-green leaves—densely curled, dwarf compact habit. Produces very generously. Dry and store for winter. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.15; ¼ lb. 3.50

**6483 Champion Moss Curled.** 70 days. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

**6489 Plain-Leaved, Italian.** 85 days. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

### PEPPERS

1 oz. of seed should produce 2000 plants

**6421 Avalon Button.** 95 days. Easily grown miniature with quantities of button-shaped fruits averaging 2-in. wide and 1-in. deep. Meat is thick, sweet, crisp and juicy. An ideal size for canning or pickling whole . . . fits compactly into containers. Just right for salads! Small seed cavity. Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. 1.50

**6439 Allbig** (Illinois F5). 95 days. Hybrid vigor in this new sweet pepper with an enormous crop of huge, high quality peppers! Starts early and continues over a long period. (Illustrated at right) Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢

**6429 California Wonder.** 117 days. Fine stuffing pepper. Large, uniform, sweet; firm flesh. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**6425 Early Calwonder.** 110 days. An early form of California Wonder—adapted to northern climates. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**6463 Long Red Cayenne.** 112 days. For tabasco sauce, relish. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢

**6453 Sweet Banana.** 65 days. Long, slender, yellow pepper—looks like a hot pepper but is mild, sweet and tender—perfect for making small pepper rings. Bright red when fully ripe. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢

## SAVE MONEY . . . SAVE SPACE!

### ENJOY OUR MIDGET VEGETABLES

**5016 Triomphe De Farcy French Bean.** 45 days. A real French Bean imported by Breck's! Straight, slim, stringless round green pods. 4½ in. long. 15-in. tall plants take little space, produce abundant crop. Limited supply, order early. Pkt. 55¢

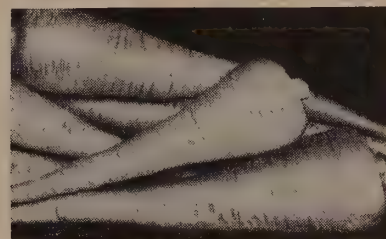
**5721 Corn. Mason's Golden Midget.** 68 days. Delicious 4-inch ears on 3-ft. plants. Pkt. 50¢

**5885 Cucumber, Hycrop Hybrid.** 54 days. Very compact, short vines. Excellent fruit. Pkt. 35¢

**6085 Tom Thumb Lettuce.** 60 days. Unusually fine, small heads with crisp, flavorful leaves. Ideal for individual salads. Pkt. 15¢

**6273 Watermelon, N. H. Midget.** 75 days. True watermelons 6 in. through. Compact, dense grower. Pkt. 25¢

**7173 Tomato, Tiny Tim.** 45 days. Dwarf plants, loaded with luscious ¾-in. tomatoes. Pkt. 25¢



6517 All-American Parsnip

### PARSNIPS—Vitamin-Rich Delicacy

1 oz. of seed will sow at least 100 feet

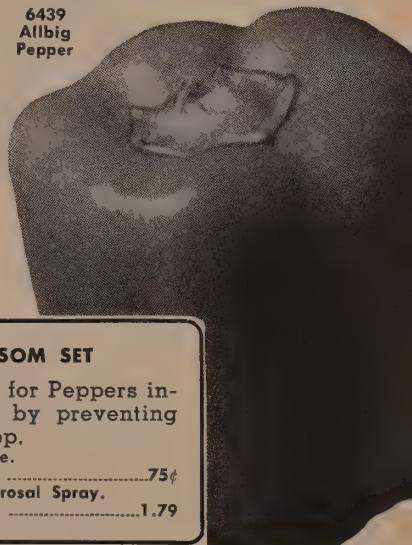
**6517 All American.** 125 days. Best home-garden variety. Takes place of Hollow Crown. Long, slender, smooth roots—creamy white—free of side roots. Flesh is fiberless and sweet. (Illustrated.)

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

## FREE SEEDS!

(See page 24)

6439  
Allbig  
Pepper



### BLOSSOM SET

Blossom Set for Peppers insures crops by preventing blossom drop.

3396 4-oz Bottle. . . . .75¢

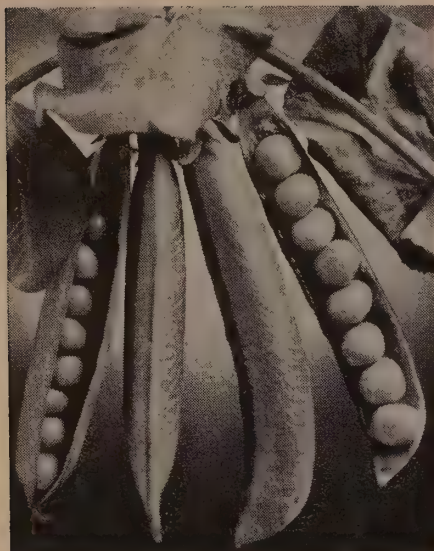
Postpaid. . . . .75¢

3398 12-oz. Aerosol Spray. . . . .1.79

Postpaid. . . . .1.79



## BEST FOR SWEET EATING,



★6548 Freezonian Peas

**6541 Lincoln.** 69 days. Sweetest, tenderest mid-season pea. Full, vigorous 30 to 36-in. vines loaded with 3½-in. pods. Unsurpassed for quality, sweetness and dependability. Each pod holds 8 to 9 plump peas. Excellent freezer.

**6542 Laxton's Progress.** 62 days. 18 in. Early dwarf. Extremely prolific, 9 to 10 dark-green peas per pod. Freezes well.

★**6548 Freezonian.** 63 days. 3½ ft. Improved and wilt-resistant. 3½-in. pods, well-filled with sweet, delicious tender peas. Ideal for quick freezing. Needs brush support for best results. (Illus.)

**6553 Laxtonian.** 62 days. 18 in. Productive and vigorous, pods about 4 in. long.

**6568 Little Marvel.** 62 days. 15 in. Old-time favorite renowned for tremendous yields and keeping quality on the bush. Well adapted for quick freezing.

**6578 World's Record.** 60 days. 30 in. An enormously popular extra-early pea. Pods are uniformly large . . . 4½ to 5 in.

**6592 Gradus (Prosperity).** 64 days. 30 to 36 in. A very popular variety.



6644 Telephone Pea, Dark Podded

**6620 Miracle.** 70 days. English introduction, extremely popular. 10 sugar-sweet tiny peas in 4 to 4½-in. pods. Vines 48 to 54 in. ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 5 lbs. 4.30

**6634 Dwarf Telephone (Daisy).** 72 days. 24 in. Large pods, sweet and tender peas.

★**6644 Telephone Dark Podded.** 75 days. 4 to 5 ft. Peas of large size, sugary, rich, and tender. Finest quality. (Illus.)

★**6654 Alderman.** 75 days. 4 to 5 ft.

## Early-Planted PEAS

1 lb. of seed will sow up to 100 feet  
½ lb. 45¢; lb. 85¢; 5 lbs. 4.00  
except where noted.



6594 Wando Peas

**6594 Wando.** 70 days. 30 in. An excellent freezing variety that is resistant to late frosts and summer heat. 3-in. pods are tightly packed with sweet, delicious peas. Best variety for late planting. Has given good crops when planted as late as mid-July. ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 1.00; 5 lbs. 4.75

**6595 Mammoth Melting Sugar (Edible-podded).** 74 days. Best edible podded variety to date. 3 to 4 ft.—needs brush.

### ALL-SEASON PEA GARDEN

Laxton's Progress Early

Lincoln Midseason

Dwarf Telephone Late

8513 ½ lb. ea. 1.00  
variety above 1.35 VALUE.....

8514 1 lb. ea. 1.95  
variety above 2.55 VALUE.....

Pick fresh mushrooms in about 30 days after starting **Breck's Mushroom Trays**. You'll be picking them for weeks . . . and eating like a king! Easy to grow in cellar, game room or any suitable place where there is no direct sunlight and the temperature remains between 55° and 65°. Just follow simple instructions (incl.) and harvest the finest white mushrooms you have ever eaten!

Order No. 4114 Complete Kit. Ppd. 3.95

### MUSHROOM BRICKS

**6291** Prepared, compressed bricks of pure culture. Clean, easy to use, available all year. Break into small pieces and plant in a prepared bed. Complete instructions included.

Sh. wt., 1 lb.  
per brick.

10 for 6.75

**75¢** ea.

( You'll never know  
until you grow them! )



RADISHES

★6761 Cherry Belle

1 ounce of seed will sow about 50 feet  
Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 1.00  
except where noted.

★**6761 Cherry Belle.** 21 days. Highest quality, most uniform and attractive. Smooth and round as a cherry . . . bright red with icy-white flesh that's mild, tender and crisp. Plant every two weeks from about April 1 to Sept. 15 for a continuous supply. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

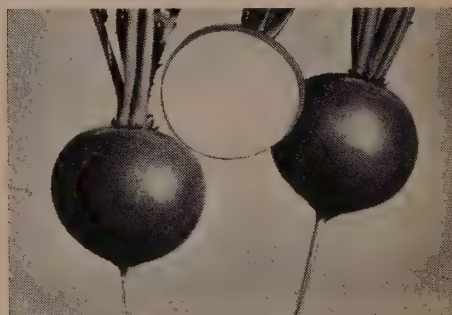
★**6766 Champion.** 23 days. A king-size edition of the Cherry Belle, as big as a silver dollar in diameter! Mouth-watering rich scarlet; long-standing, beautifully formed . . . always crisp, never pithy. (Illus.)

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**6764 Early Scarlet Globe.** 24 days. A popular oval variety. Pure white flesh.

**6772 French Breakfast.** 25 days. Bright scarlet with white tip, olive shape, crisp. **6794 Long Icicle.** 27 days. Earliest long white variety. Snappy flavor, tender. Sleek, crystal-white.

**6827 Round Black Spanish.** 60 days. Sow in July and Aug. for fall and winter use. Good keeper. White flesh, black skin.



★6766 Champion Radish

## Mushrooms like magic from BRECK'S MUSHROOM TRAYS







6703 Jack O'Lantern

**PUMPKINS** 1 oz. seed will produce 30 hills  
**6703 Jack O' Lantern Pumpkin.** 115 days. Perfect size and shape—9 in. high, 7 to 8 in. diam.—smooth skin and firm flesh for easy carving. You'll want these for Halloween. Wonderful for pies, too! (Illus.)

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢

**6700 Small Sugar.** 115 days. Famous New England pie pumpkin. Fine grained flesh—small and sweet—deep orange.

**6722 King of the Mammoths.** 120 days. Often grows to 100 lbs.

Above pkts. 15¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. 1.75

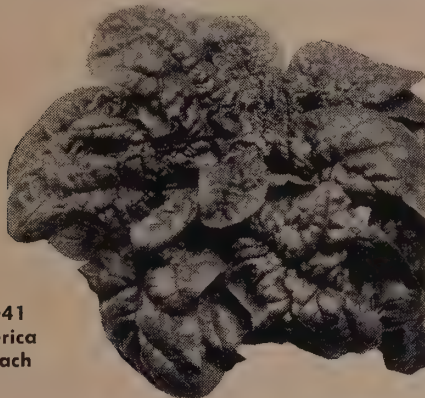
#### ROQUETTE—Rocket Salad

**6829** 40 days. Delicious, peppery-tasting large leaves, gives distinctive zest to salads! Pick from early spring to freezing. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00

#### SALSIFY—VEGETABLE OYSTER

1 ounce of seed sows 75 feet

**6856 Mammoth Sandwich Island.** 100 days. 8-in. roots, fine-grained white flesh with oyster flavor. Use fall, winter or spring. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00; ¼ lb. 3.00



★7041  
America  
Spinach

**SPINACH** 1 ounce of seed will sow 50 feet

★7041 **America.** 50 days. A wonderful improved spinach, noted for heavy yield and long period of cutting. Will stand warm weather. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

**7049 King of Denmark.** 48 days. Broad, dark green leaves, slightly crumpled.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; lb. 2.75

**7052 Hybrid Savoy.** 40 days. Greatly improved early Savoy with smoother, larger, deep green leaves. Resistant to mosaic.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. 1.75

**7061 Bloomsdale Long Standing Savoy.** 45 days. Large Savoy-type leaves.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢; lb. 2.75

#### HOT WEATHER SPINACH

**7043 New Zealand.** 55 days. Cut-and-come-again vegetable, for summer "greens." Low-spreading, drought-resistant. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50



★6900 Yankee Hybrid Squash

#### SQUASH—Summer Bush Varieties

1 oz. of seed will plant about 50 hills

★6900 **Yankee Hybrid.** 50 days. Earliest, most prolific straightneck type. Firm flesh; light yellow. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. 1.25

**6906 Early Golden Summer Crookneck.** 60 days. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

★6908 **Early Prolific Straightneck.** 53 days. Pale yellow; flesh creamy yellow.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

★6917 **Caserta.** 48 days. Fine Italian-type. Light green, striped darker green.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**6941 White Bush Scallop.** 56 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

**6949 Zucchini.** 60 days. Italian Marrow.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 1.25

#### SQUASH—Winter Varieties

1 oz. of seed will plant about 15 hills

**6951 Breck's Baby Blue.** 100 days. Small, family-size Blue Hubbard. Doesn't trail like its famous parent, saves garden space. Has the same delicious flavor and quality. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00



6954 Breck's Butternut Squash  
Silver Medal, Mass. Hort. Soc'y

**6954 Breck's Butternut.** 95 days. Introduced by Breck's and now grown from coast to coast! Butternut has become the most popular fall and winter squash. Delicious orange flesh is dry and sweet! Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. 2.25

**6960 Buttercup.** 100 days. Small (4 to 5 lbs.), of flat form, with dark-green skin. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 30¢; oz. 55¢

**6963 Table Queen (Des Moines).** 95 days. Small, dark-green, acorn-shaped squash. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50

**7004 Blue Hubbard.** 115 days.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. 1.50



6945 Blackini Hybrid Squash

**6945 Blackini Hybrid.** 50 days. F1 Hybrid of popular Zucchini type. Produces more fruits, 10 days earlier and more uniform. Shiny, very dark green, delicious! Pick when 6 to 8 inches long. (Illustrated.)

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. 1.25

#### SWISS CHARD 1 oz. sows about 75 feet

**6872 Rhubarb Chard.** 60 days. Thick, dark-green crumpled leaves on bright crimson stalks.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 60¢

**6875 Lucullus.** 50 days. Thick, creamy white stalks. Rivals asparagus for flavor.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 1.00; lb. 3.00



6885 Dark Green Curled Swiss Chard

**6885 Dark Green Curled.** 55 days. Husky plants, 2 ft. high. Thick, crumpled, vitamin-packed leaves; broad white midrib.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 1.00; lb. 3.00

**6886 Perpetual Spinach.** 55 days. Smooth medium sized, dark-green leaves.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 1.00; lb. 3.00

#### TURNIPS 1 ounce of seed will sow 150 feet

Pkts. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

**7335 Purple Top White Globe.** 58 days. Round; white skin, deep purple top.

**7389 Seven-Top.** 30 to 35 days. Tops for salads and greens.

★7332 **Just Right.** 35-55 days. Best all-around summer turnip. Foliage makes delicious "greens"; roots white, tender, sweet, flattened globe shape.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ oz. 1.25

#### RUTABAGAS

Pkts. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 1.15

**7415 Improved American Purple Top.** 90 days. Crisp yellow flesh. Mild and sweet.

**7421 Bristol White.** 85 days. The sweetest, most delicately-flavored rutabaga on the market! Developed by Waltham Field Stn.



# Sun-Ripened TOMATOES Taste Better!

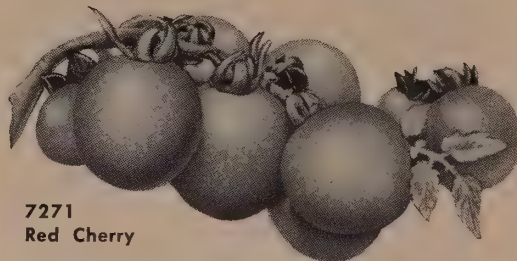
## BRECK'S NEW PRIZE-WINNING "RED ROCKET"!

**7127 Red Rocket F1 Hybrid Tomato!** A prize-winner for your garden! 50 days, large, slightly flattened, globe-shaped fruits up to 2¾ in. across, weighing 5 to 6 oz. each. Deep red, very smooth skin, no cracking or scars. Thick walled, medium-red flesh with small core, excellent flavor. A profusion of fruit on a vigorous, medium-sized plant. Finely cut foliage gives good coverage, prevents sunburn. One of the earliest large, heavy-cropping Hybrids. Sold only by Breck's!

Pkt. 50¢; 1/32 oz. 2.50; 1/16 oz. 4.25



7098 Breck's Early Red



7271  
Red Cherry

## SMALL FRUIT TOMATOES

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. 1.00

- 7253 Red Pear
- 7264 Yellow Plum
- 7266 Red Plum
- 7271 Red Cherry
- 7285 Yellow Cherry
- 7297 Strawberry Tomato, or Winter Cherry (also called Ground Cherry). Fruit grows in a husk. Used for preserves, sauces.

## TINY TIM TOMATO

**7173** 45 days. Tiny red, 1-in. tomatoes—delicious when served whole! Can actually be grown in a flowerpot or window box. 6 to 9 in. Pkt. 25¢

**7093 Giant King F1 Hybrid.** 80 days. The largest hybrid tomato in America! Bright scarlet-red, smooth-skinned, globe shaped variety fills the bill for use in home gardens. Firm and meaty, with excellent flavor.

Pkt. (30 seeds), 50¢; 1/32 oz. 2.50; 1/16 oz. 4.25

**7085 Climbing Trip L. Crop.** 90 days. Huge fruits weighing 2 lbs. or more . . . on vigorous climbing 10-ft. vines. Even the smallest garden can produce a huge crop, by training on poles or trellis.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50

**7115 Double Rich.** 65 days. Highest Vitamin C content . . . more than double standard varieties! Fruits red, medium size with unusually firm flesh and high crack-resistance. Ideal for home gardens, as plants don't take too much space.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. 1.75

**7118 Italian Large Red Plum (Pomodoro).** 75 days. Beautiful bright red, large, plum-shaped . . . mild flavor and firmness desirable in salads, preserves, sauces.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; oz. 1.50

**7202 Rutgers.** (Certified Seed). 78 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢

## 7251 Hybrid Winsall

**7249 Sunray.** 72 days. Rich, distinctive flavor . . . mild and sweet . . . loved for non-acid content and orange-yellow color. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.25

**7259 Richmeat.** 85 days. Famous for its seedless, practically coreless, rich scarlet flesh of fine flavor. Vigorous grower, producing large, oval fruits. Pkt. 25¢

**7213 Golden Ponderosa.** 85 days. Same large fruits and good qualities of famous Red Ponderosa. Slightly less acid.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 1.25; oz. 2.25

**7086 Bonny Best.** 70 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**\*7129 Pritchard (Scarlet Topper).** 72 days.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢

**7186 Marglobe (Certified Seed).** 75 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢

**7236 Beefsteak (Red Ponderosa).** 59 days. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. 1.25

**7082 Waltham Scarlet.** 70 days. This vigorous growing tomato has scored high with thousands of home gardeners! From each plant, you'll get quantities of rich, red, salad-size tomatoes of "hot-house" quality. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. 1.25

## TOMATO PLANT SUPPORTS



For a neater garden and more perfect fruit, use 2-ring supports to hold tomato plants. Stakes hold 2 wire rings in which tomato plants grow upright and neat. (See other picture, p. 46) (Sh. wt. 6, 9 lbs.)

**26661 Bundle of 6, 3.89**  
12 for 7.49

## AN OLD FAVORITE RETURNS!

**7112 THE FRUIT.** 75 days. Solid, meaty Henderson favorite—practically free from acidity and seeds—delicious eating! Vigorous, disease-resistant plants bear large clusters of sweet, luscious well-formed, deep pink tomatoes.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. 1.75

## TOMATO BLOSSOM-SET

You can have larger—earlier—meatier Tomatoes! Just mix Blossom-Set with water and spray the blossoms to stop blossom drop! Tested by U. S. D. A. and leading universities. Use it on Cucumbers, Egg Plants, Peppers and Squash.

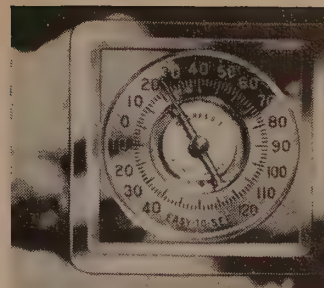
**3396** 4-oz. Postpaid. 75¢

**3398 Aerosol Spray Bomb.** 12 oz. Easiest way to apply Blossom Set . . . takes just a touch of your finger! Postpaid. 1.79



VEGETABLE		TIME TO PLANT		COVERAGE		PLANTING MEASUREMENTS			DAYS TO MATURE	* AVERAGE YIELD 100 FT. ROW	
		SOW INDOORS	SOW OUTDOORS	1 OZ. SEED	1 LB. SEED	Distance Between Rows	Distance Between Plants	Depth to Plant Seed			
			FROM	TO							
Beans	Green Bush		May 1	August 1		50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.	52	2 bushels
	Wax Bush		May 1	August 1		50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.	58	2 bushels
	Dwarf Shell		May 1	June 20		50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.	65	2 bushels
	Bush Lima		May 15	June 20		50 ft.	2½ ft.	4 in.	½ in.	74	2 bushels
	Pole Lima		May 15	June 10		75 hills	4 ft.	2 ft.	1 in.	90	2 bushels
	Pole		May 1	July 5		200 hills	4 ft.	2 ft.	½ in.	65	2 bushels
Beet			April 20	July 25		50 ft.	1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.	60	1½ bushels
Broccoli		March 15	April 20	June 1	2000 plants		2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	80	45 heads
Brussels Sprouts		March 15	April 20	May 20	2000 plants		2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	120	30 quarts
Cabbage	Early	March 15	April 20	July 10	2000 plants		2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	62	45 heads
	Late		May 1	June 1	2000 plants		2½ ft.	2 ft.	¼ in.	110	45 heads
	Chinese	April 1	July 1	July 20	5000 plants		2½ ft.	1 ft.	¼ in.	75	65 heads
Carrot			April 20	August 1	100 ft.		1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.	68	2 bushels
Cauliflower		March 15	May 1	June 15	2000 plants		2½ ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	55	40 heads
Celery		March 1	April 20	May 20	3000 plants		2½ ft.	8 in.	1/16 in.	135	200 stalks
Chervil			April 20	August 1	100 ft.		1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.	45	
Chicory			May 15	July 1	100 ft.		2 ft.	6 in.	¼ in.	150	2½ bushels
Chives			April 20	July 1	200 ft.		1½ ft.	12 in.	¼ in.	90	
Collards			April 1	June 15	400 ft.		2 ft.	15 in.	¼ in.	80	4 bushels
Corn	Early		May 1	July 1		200 ft.	3 ft.	12 in.	1 in.	70	48 ears
	Late		May 1	June 15		200 ft.	3 ft.	12 in.	1 in.	88	48 ears
Corn Salad			April 20	August 15	150 ft.		1 ft.	3 in.	½ in.	60	
Cress			April 20	August 15	100 ft.		1 ft.	1 in.	¼ in.	48	100 bunches
Cucumber			June 1	July 1	60 hills		4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.	58	1½ bushels
Dandelion			May 1	June 30	200 ft.		1½ ft.	6 in.	¼ in.	95	2½ bushels
Eggplant		March 25			1000 plants		3 ft.	3 ft.	⅛ in.	68	125 fruits
Endive			April 20	August 1	3000 plants		1½ ft.	12 in.	¼ in.	85	65 plants
Florence Fennel			June 1	July 1	100 ft.		2 ft.	6 in.	¼ in.	110	100 roots
Kale			May 15	July 1	2000 plants		2 ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	85	2 bushels
Kohlrabi			April 20	August 1	150 ft.		2 ft.	4 in.	½ in.	55	200 roots
Leeks		March 1	April 1	June 1	100 ft.		1½ ft.	4 in.	¼ in.	150	200 plants
Lettuce	Heading	March 15	April 1	August 15	3000 plants		2 ft.	12 in.	¼ in.	75	80 heads
	Loose Leaf	March 15	April 1	August 15	3000 plants		2 ft.	12 in.	¼ in.	53	80 heads
Melon			June 1	July 1	100 hills		4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.	85	50 fruits
Mustard			April 20	August 15	100 ft.		1½ ft.	6 in.	¼ in.	35	4 bushels
Okra			May 15	June 25	250 plants		2½ ft.	15 in.	½ in.	67	800 pods
Onion		March 1	April 1	May 15	100 ft.		1 ft.	2 in.	½ in.	105	1½ bushels
Parsley			April 20	June 25	150 ft.		1½ ft.	2 in.	¼ in.	70	90 bunches
Parsnip			April 20	June 15	100 ft.		1½ ft.	3 in.	½ in.	125	2 bushels
Peas			April 1	June 1	100 ft.		3 ft.	1 in.	1 in.	69	1 bushel
Pepper		April 1	May 15	June 1	2000 plants		3 ft.	1½ ft.	¼ in.	117	4 bushels
Pumpkin			May 15	July 15	30 hills		5 ft.	5 ft.	1 in.	115	40 fruits
Radish			April 20	Sept. 15	50 ft.		1 ft.	1 in.	½ in.	21	500 roots
Salsify			April 20	May 20	75 ft.		1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.	100	600 roots
Spinach			April 1	August 15	50 ft.		1½ ft.	2 in.	½ in.	50	3 bushels
Spinach, New Zealand			May 1	July 1	250 plants		2 ft.	2 ft.	½ in.	55	5 bushels
Squash	Summer		May 1	July 1	50 hills		4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.	50	140 fruits
	Winter		May 1	June 1	15 hills		7 ft.	7 ft.	½ in.	95	25 fruits
	Winter		May 1	June 1	15 hills		4 ft.	4 ft.	½ in.	100	100 fruits
Swiss Chard			April 20	July 25	75 ft.		1½ ft.	6 in.	½ in.	55	200 stalks
Tomato		April 1	May 1	June 1	1500 plants		4 ft.	3 ft.	¼ in.	70	4 bushels
Turnip	Early		April 1	August 20	150 ft.		1½ ft.	3 in.	⅛ in.	42	2 bushels
	Rutabaga		April 1	June 15	150 ft.		2 ft.	6 in.	¼ in.	85	2 bushels
Watermelon			June 1	June 15	30 hills		8 ft.	8 ft.	1 in.	65	15 fruits

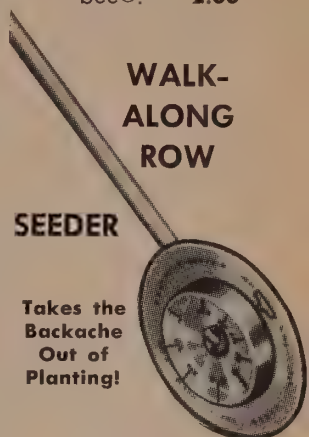
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#### SEEDER

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No more stooping, kneeling, crawling when sowing seed! This handy metal tool with 40" handle lets you plant vegetable seed without backbreaking bending! Just load container, set dial to proper seed opening —and walk upright to sow seed evenly, accurately! Practically eliminates thinning! Saves time, money—measures "just right" amount of seed for highest production! Can also be used as "side-row" fertilizer spreader! Nylon bearing never needs oiling, never binds. 2560L Seeder.

4 lbs. 4.95 35



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8250 Rosemary



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8329 Savory



8318 Sage



8257 Marjoram



8145 Basil



5948 Fennel

**8123 ANISE (A)** Fresh leaves and seeds popular for many different foods. (Illus.)

**8145 SWEET BASIL (A)** Beautiful plant with white flowers. Clove-like aroma and flavor of both fresh and dried leaves adds a delectable flavor to many foods. (Illus.)

**8156 BORAGE (A)** Young leaves and buds flavor tea, iced drinks. (Illus.)

**8167 CARAWAY (B)** Popular flavoring seed for bread, cakes and cheese.

**8170 CATNIP (P)** Leaves used for herb tea; beloved by "pussy".

**5461 CHIVES (P)** 8 to 10 in. Beautiful, hardy perennial for a decorative border or edging. Flowers are tiny lavender pompons. Use leaves as seasoning.

**8189 CORIANDER (A)** Delicious seeds used in breads, cakes, candy.

**ASPARAGUS ROOTS** Avail. March, April  
The finest available . . . bred at Waltham Field Station . . . out-produces others up to 25%! Uniform in size, dark rich green, tightly closed buds. Growing instr. incl.

5014 Waltham Washington 1-Year roots.	
25 Roots. (Sh. wt. 5 lbs.)	1.90
50 Roots. (Sh. wt. 8 lbs.)	3.00
100 Roots. (Sh. wt. 15 lbs.)	4.75
250 Roots. (Express Coll. 40 lbs.)	8.75

**5681 CURLED CHERVIL (A)** Lacy, fern-like foliage, both fresh and dried, used as flavoring, decoration.

**5711 CURLED CRESS (A-Peppergrass)** This peppery little 3 to 6 in. plant adds piquancy to salads and sandwiches.

**5713 UPLAND CRESS (B)** Watercress flavoring. Sow in mid-April for summer.

**8191 DILL, Mammoth (A)** 3-ft. Use both fresh leaves and tips. Seed delicious with vegetables, soups, gravies. (Illus.)

**5948 FLORENCE FENNEL (A)** Served either raw or cooked. Anise flavor. (Illus.)

**8250 ROSEMARY** Hardy Perennial; 2-3 ft. Pale to deep-blue blossoms in April and May. Use fresh or dried leaves. (Illus.)

**8257 SWEET MARJORAM (A)** 12 to 15 in. Tiny white blossoms with green bracts are very fragrant. Use young leaves, either dried or fresh. (Illus.)

**8318 SAGE (P)** A shrubby, grey-leaved perennial. Plants 2-ft. tall with light purple blossom spikes. Use both dried and fresh whole leaves. (Illustrated)

**8329 SUMMER SAVORY (A)** Fragrant, 18-in. plant covered with tiny pink flowers. Very delicious flavoring. (Illustrated)

**8367 THYME (P)** Lovely garden plant with lavender blooms. Tender young leaves, use either dried or fresh. (Illustrated)

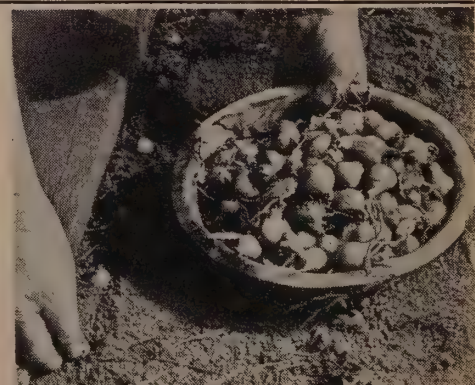
**LAVENDER** See Sweet Lavender, p. 13.  
**PARSLEY** . . . See page 31.

ALL HERBS ABOVE, Pkt. 25¢ each . . . . . ANY 5 Pkts. for 1.00

## ROOT VEGETABLES

**ONION SETS** Available March and April  
Enjoy your own home-grown onions! You can easily raise a bumper crop! Plant closely in the spring, pull out every other one as sprouts appear, for spring scallions. Let the rest mature for winter use.

**RHUBARB ROOTS** Available March to May  
**4121 Canada Red.** Makes delicious sauce, pies—sweeter, less tart, Rich-red stalks.  
**4122 McDonald.** Vigorous, prolific! Bright crimson stalks cook into tasty, tart sauce. (Sh. wt. ½ lb. each) 2 for 2.25; 5 for 4.95



<b>6380 Yellow Onions.</b>	<b>6385 White Onions.</b>
1 lb. Onions. (Sh. wt. 1 lb.)	59¢
5 lbs. Onions. (Sh. wt. 5 lbs.)	2.75



Mail order before April 30  
to get FREE SEEDS!



# MAIL THIS HANDY ORDER FORM TODAY!

Mail your reservation, that's all! Not one cent to pay in advance unless you prefer; wait and pay for bulbs at planting time next Fall. (To save money, send remittance with your order before July 15th. Then Breck's pays postage, and sends you FREE Bookkeeper's Bonus Bulbs!) Order

NOW for guaranteed savings of 20% to 50%... complete blooming satisfaction... protection against shortages of choice varieties! Guaranteed big, top-quality bulbs. Planting instructions with every order. Reserve your needs NOW at reduced prices. Sale definitely ends July 15th, 1961!

## You 'll Be As Pleased As These Customers:

I was so thrilled, this Spring, when my tulips and crocus bloomed — they were simply beautiful and such a variety of beautiful colors! Your bulbs are beyond compare — they are worth a lot more than you charge for them.

A. E. Z.

N. Troy, N.Y.

You can count me as one of your more-than-satisfied customers! Every year I order more of your tulip bulbs. This season, I had many compliments on my beautiful, assorted array. Many neighbors asked if my Red Emperors were giant red poppies. I'm very pleased with all of your bulbs and look forward each spring to see what my new plantings will be. Many thanks from a well-satisfied customer.

Mrs. J. H. West Haven, Conn.

My tulips, daffodils and hyacinths last fall were beautiful! I never lost a plant! People stop and look at my garden and admire it. I am so happy, it has encouraged me to get more of them!

Mrs. S. B. Grand Isle, Vt.

I was particularly pleased with the Hyacinth mixture. The ones I planted out of doors were a delightful sight, and I received many compliments on my garden! Thanks to Breck's for the pleasure my garden gives to me!

Mrs. M. A. G. Roxbury, Mass.



BRECK'S of Boston  
240 Breck Bldg., Boston 10, Mass.

Dear Fellow Gardener:

*You can have a breathtakingly beautiful Spring garden — with bigger and better bulbs, for less money — if you consider the advantages of reserving your bulbs at this time during Breck's Advance Bulb Sale.*

*Among quality-minded and cost-conscious home gardeners, our annual Bulb Sale has become almost an institution. (Take a peek at some samples of their letters, totally unsolicited, on this and the page following).*

*Here's how you gain:*

1. All bulbs are top quality — true to name — sure to bloom.
2. You save up to 50% from the prices we must charge next Fall at planting time.
3. You are guaranteed full bloom and complete satisfaction — backed by our 144-year-old reputation for reliability.
4. Bulbs reach you in top condition, direct from our Holland fields. The bulbs in your order are handled only once, by experts.
5. You order now when Holland bulbs are in bloom, pay in the Fall after planting time — or, if you prefer, earn FREE bonus bulbs and FREE postage by paying with your order.
6. We pay ALL import duties and charges — you have no red tape whatsoever.

*My frequent personal trips to Holland — selecting the newest and finest varieties — checking our growing fields — inspecting our warehouses and packing operations, are to make sure you receive just what you order, direct from the heart of Holland's bulb-growing district.*

*Please make your reservation now, with confidence. You are dealing with an honorable and respected firm, long known to every Postmaster. You are protected by an unqualified money-back guarantee. When you reserve your share of these top-quality Holland bulbs, you will be sure of more than your share of glorious Springtime color and beauty.*

*Luther A. Breck, Jr.*

P.S. If you wish to charge through Diners' Club or American Express, be sure to show your account number and signature on the order sheet.

SEND NO  
MONEY!  
SAVE UP  
TO 50%

SALE ENDS  
JULY 15,  
1961



Here's what  
customers say about....  
this famous sale!



# BRECK'S ADVANCE BULB SALE!

YOU, too, will be pleased...

The bulbs I ordered last year were so magnificent that they were the envy of the city! The Red Emperors and Blue Ice are almost beyond description, but my real pride and joy were the Blue Parrots and the Candelabra. The Blue Parrots were nine inches across. Magnificent — words can't describe this wonderful tulip. All but one Candelabra had 6 tulips measuring 3-3½" across! Each plant was a bouquet! Truly my greatest thrill in gardening!

N.R.C. Albuquerque, N. M.

I'd like for all the world to know  
How sturdy and fast Breck's tulips grow!  
They are every color and every size,  
A truly wonderful garden prize!  
From the last week in March  
They bloom each day,  
Then all of April, and most of May.  
They love the sun, fear not the cold,  
And show their colors  
So bright and bold!  
My neighbors come and chat for hours,  
About my lovely, lovely flowers.  
"Where did you get them?"  
They all chorus...  
The answer is easy —  
"Breck's, of course!"  
I'd be without my Tulips never!  
They are such a sight to behold —  
Such a joy for ever!

J. K. Monohans, Texas

I must let you know that I am the proudest woman in my neighborhood! My tulip garden is the envy of every-one, and they want to know how I do it. But, of course, I tell them it takes no skill — just Breck's bulbs!

Mrs. M. C. Lafayette, Indiana

Wish you could see our yard this morning. It's full of Breck's tulips and daffodils! The daffodils are in the shadier patio, and so they bloom at the same time as the tulips. How anything could be so big and beautiful with all the weather the Sierras have handed us in the past few weeks, I'll never know. But there they are in full bloom.

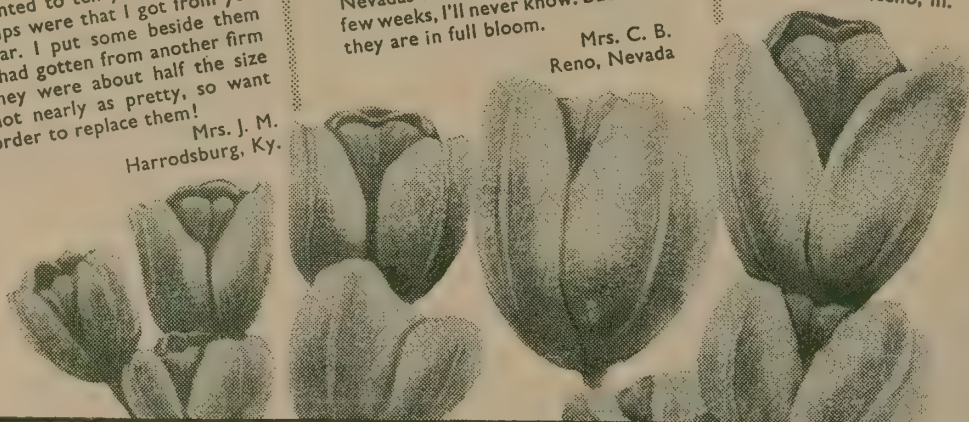
Mrs. C. B. Reno, Nevada

I am immensely pleased with my beautiful tulips and hyacinths. They are indeed the most beautiful I have ever seen — anyplace! Persons who pass our home have stopped to admire them and ask where I had purchased them.

Mrs. B. R. F. Monticello, Ill.

Just wanted to tell you how pretty the tulips were that I got from you last year. I put some beside them that I had gotten from another firm and they were about half the size and not nearly as pretty, so want this order to replace them!

Mrs. J. M. Harrodsburg, Ky.



**RUSH YOUR ORDER AT ONCE — AND SAVE MONEY!**



# Here's how you save money

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BRECK'S  
SHIPMENTS



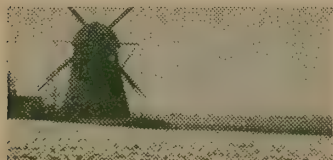
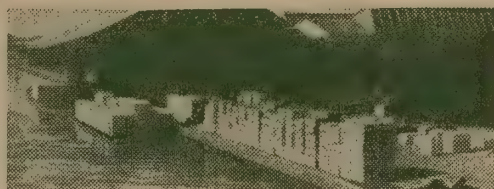
BEAR  
THIS  
SEAL

## on this sale!

Remember — these are all **TOP QUALITY BULBS**, guaranteed to bloom . . . . .

## From BRECK'S Holland Bulb Fields **DIRECT** to YOU!

Here is a section of Breck's bulb warehouses — **the most modern in Holland** — in operation. Located in **Hillegom**, in the heart of Holland's bulb fields, our warehouses receive the freshly dug bulbs by canal barge. Then the bulbs are inspected and sorted — the biggest, most vigorous bulbs for Breck's customers; the smaller ones to other exporters. After another thorough examination for possible defects, the bulbs are put into the famous green bags which identify them as Breck's bulbs, packed for shipment to you, and taken by canal barge to the steamer.



### Fresh from the fields . . .

Directly to you from Holland . . . top quality, bursting-with-bloom bulbs! Grown along the shores of the North Sea where the world's finest bulbfields lie . . . bulbs are harvested, then cured and inspected at nearby Breck's Holland bulb warehouses. There your order is assembled and packed — **ESPECIALLY FOR YOU** — under constant supervision of our bulb experts. We can guarantee Breck's bulbs being the best ever — no other hands touch these bulbs until you open the package!

### Best selection is yours!

Because Breck's experienced buyers put special emphasis on studying each variety — growing and testing hundreds of new varieties — visiting world-famous trial gardens — always watching for the new and unusual — you are always assured the finest bulbs for your garden. Photo shows expert checking blooms of new **White Emperor**. All bulbs are top quality, of course — and tops in performance! We offer only the cream of the new and standard varieties in this world-famous **SALE**. Tulips marked with a star (\*) are our experts' choice for 1961. They should be in every garden.

### BRECK'S Sale saves money!

In spite of constantly increasing grower prices for **Holland bulbs**, Breck's still offers the same wonderful values. Buy your bulbs from Breck's and save!



### Only BRECK'S can offer you top quality Holland bulbs at such a saving . . .

Breck's **Holland Bulb Sale** guarantees you big, plump, **top quality** bulbs at **lowest prices** because your bulbs are reserved early — even before harvest — and they are shipped direct to you from our Holland warehouses. Other Holland bulbs sold in this country go from the grower to an exporter to an American wholesaler. Then they are usually handled 2 or 3 times more before you receive them. **Your Breck's bulbs are carefully inspected and packaged in our Holland warehouses. They are not touched again until you open the package!**

### Order now — pay next Fall!

To place your order, simply fill out the enclosed order form or order on your own paper before July 15th, 1961. The bulbs are rushed to America on fast steamers, stamped and shipped from our Boston office . . . no duty or import fees of any kind to pay! Mail your order now and we'll bill you for your bulbs, plus postage, at planting time. Or to get **FREE 10 Earliest Snow Crocus** bulbs, and to have Breck's pay all the postage, enclose your remittance in full with your order. **No other American firm can give you such direct service — or such top-quality bulbs at these substantial savings!**

### NOTICE

**You must order before July 15, 1961!** After this date, bulbs will be shipped to America to be sold at regular prices! Holland bulbs give their glorious bloom each Spring and can only be planted during the **Fall** months. We mail the Sale Folder at this time, during the blooming season, so you can better plan your Fall planting needs





# THIS IS YOUR ORDER BLANK FOR: BRECK'S 1961 ADVANCE BULB SALE

240 Breck Building  
Boston 10, Mass.

DINERS CLUB \* \_\_\_\_\_ PLEASE

AMER. EXP. \* \_\_\_\_\_ SIGN \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** Due to pre-packing in Holland, we offer these bulbs only in the quantity units listed and multiples thereof.

Item No.	HOW MANY	NAME	TOTAL PRICE	Item No.	HOW MANY	NAME	TOTAL PRICE	Item No.	HOW MANY	NAME	TOTAL PRICE
1500		Tulip, Red Emperor		1562		Tul., Queen of Night		1662		Daf., Mount Hood	
1501		Tul., White Emperor		1564		Tulip, Red Matador		1664		Daf., Mrs. Backhouse	
1504		Royal Palace Coll.		1566		Tulip, Scotch Lassie		1666		Daf., Scarl. Elegance	
1506		Long Season Coll.		1568		Tul., Yellow Emperor		1668		Daffodil, St. Agnes	
1508		May Flow. Tul. Coll.		1570		Tulip, Candelabra		1670		Daffodil, Thalia	
1509		May Flow. Tul. Coll.		1574		Tulip, Flame		1672		Daffodil, Twink	
1511		Parrot Tulip Coll.		1580		Tulip, Blue Parrot		1700		Anem. Blanda Blue	
1513		Tul. Peony Fld. Coll.		1582		Tulip, Black Parrot		1702		Anem. Blanda Mix.	
1514		Keukenhof Coll.		1584		Tulip, Par. Discovery		1704		Snow Glories	
1515		Favorite Tul. Coll.		1586		Tulip, Par. Sunshine		1706		Snow Crocus	
1518		Dutch Treat Coll.		1588		Tulip, Parrot Wonder		1707		Crocus, Mixture	
1516		Giant Hyacinth Coll.		1590		Tulip, Parrot Mix.		1708		Crocus, Jumbo	
1517		Hyacinth Collection		1593		Tulip, Peacock Mix.		1710		Snowdrops, Single Mix	
1519		Daffodil Collection		1596		Tulip, Old Dutch		1712		Hya. Delft Blue	
1520		Daffodil Collection		1599		Tulip, Pep. Stick		1713		Hyacinth, Innocence	
1522		Spring Sunshine Coll.		1602		Tulip, Firespray		1714		Hya., Red Rocket	
1525		Daf., Naturalizing		1605		Tulip, Eros		1715		Hya., Pink Pearl	
1530		Tulip De Luxe Mix.		1607		Tulip, Livingstone		1716		Hya., Gard. Size Mix.	
1532		Tulip Econ. Mixture		1609		Tulip, Mount Tacoma		1719		Muscari, Blue	
1540		Tulip Artist		1611		Tulip, Nizza		1722		Scilla, St. of Holl.	
1544		Tulip Blue Ice		1614		Tul., Peony Fld. Mix.		1724		B.K. Bonus, Sn. Croc.	
1547		Tulip Carrara		1650		Daf., Giant Trp. Mix.					
1550		Tulip Greenland		1652		Daf., Red Cupped Mix.					
1553		Tul. Venetian Sunset		1656		Daffodil, Colossal				TOTAL THIS COLUMN	
1556		Tulip Holl.'s Glory		1658		Daffodil, King Alfred				TOTAL COLUMN ONE	
1559		Tul. Princess Eliz.		1660		Daf., Liberty Bells				TOTAL COLUMN TWO	
		TOTAL COLUMN ONE				TOTAL COLUMN TWO				COMPLETE TOTAL	

MY NAME IS:

(Mr.) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mrs.) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Miss) \_\_\_\_\_

(Please PRINT to help us avoid errors)

Local address - Street and number - Route number - Box number

City

Zone

State

☐ I AM SENDING NO MONEY.  
I will pay for the bulbs PLUS  
postage when billed at planting  
time.

☐ I AM SENDING MONEY  
NOW. Breck's pays all postage,  
and sends me FREE the Book-  
keeper's Bonus of 10 Snow  
Crocus.

Printed in the Netherlands



## BRECK'S PET DEPT.



### CHAPERONE DRI-FOAM SHAMPOO

This amazing formula helps you keep your pets sweetly-clean with a minimum of effort! Just spray onto fur from the easy-to-use aerosol can. Rub lightly with damp towel . . . watch the fresh-smelling foam rise! Wipe off. That's it! Fido's coat is gleaming, soft and glossy! Prevents odors, mange.

3090 Foam Shampoo, 12-oz. Postpaid. 1.49

**FLEA & TICK SPRAY**  
One light spray and good-bye to pests that plague your pets! Use alone or with Flea-Kill Pet Bed (right). Apply directly to bedding, fur. Jumbo, 8-oz. aerosol can lasts for months!

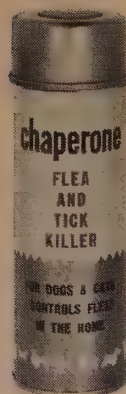
3088 Flea & Tick. Postpaid. 1.49



### CHAPERONE ALL-PURPOSE PET AND ROOM DEODORANT

This new formula by Sudbury actually **absorbs** unpleasant animal odors . . . doesn't just "mask" them! Even destroys skunk scent! Ideal for kennels, general household use, sickrooms. Absolutely safe. 6-oz. aerosol can. Ppd.

3089 Deodorant. 1.29



### FLEA KILL BEDS Kill Pests While Pets Sleep!

These amazingly efficient, chemically treated pads banish fleas, lice, ticks, animal odors . . . while Fido, Kitty relax! Kennel-tested, absolutely safe. Each pad is covered with a thick and comfy Orlon and Acrilan blanket . . . zippered opening for easy removal of pad! Sealed-in freshness attracts pets, lasts months! Both the dog and cat pads have a delightful cedar fragrance!

3093 Dog Bed. 15x28". Postpaid. 4.95  
3094 Dog Bed. 28x36". Postpaid. 6.95  
3095 Dog Bed. 36x48". Postpaid. 12.95  
3096 Cat Bed. 14x18". Postpaid. 3.95



### FOLDING FENCE

Beautiful modern fence protects your shrubs, flowers, plants and small trees from curious pets! No posts . . . no tools . . . no digging! Unfolds to a strong 10-foot fence—of plastic bonded to steel. Arrange in circles, squares, rectangles or straight lines to form an attractive border for your garden. Rustproof, chip-proof . . . never needs painting. 18" high.

2822 White Fence. 4 lbs. 2.50  
2823 Green Fence. 4 lbs. 2.50



**NEW AEROSOL CHAPERONE DOG REPELLENT!** America's most popular dog repellent for shrubs, gardens, garbage pails, fence posts, car tire rims, etc. Only a light spray needed—rain won't wash it away. Postpaid.

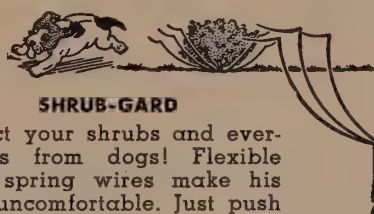
3114 Chaperone. 16-oz. Can. 1.59

3113 Chaperone. 8-oz. Can. 1.19

Protect furniture, rugs with new indoor aerosol Chaperone spray!

3116 Indoor Ch., 16-oz. Can. 1.59

3115 Indoor Ch., 8-oz. Can. 1.19



### SHRUB-GARD

Protect your shrubs and evergreens from dogs! Flexible steel spring wires make his visit uncomfortable. Just push into ground about 3 ft. apart for full protection.

2505L Pkg. of 12. Ppd. 3.85

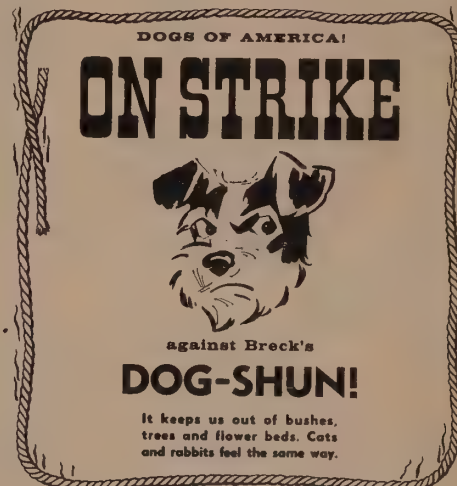
### MISTAKE

Prevents Stains—Removes Odors.



Oops—puppy made an error on your rug! But don't fret—let **MISTAKE** come to the rescue! Simply wash area with this new concentrated spot wonder-cleaner—stains, odors vanish like magic! Use also as a general fabric, rug and upholstery cleaner and spot remover! 4-oz. bottle—makes over 1 quart.

3091 Mistake. Ppd. 1.00



### against Breck's DOG-SHUN!

It keeps us out of bushes, trees and flower beds. Cats and rabbits feel the same way.

### DOGS RUN FROM DOG-SHUN!

One customer writes "We nearly had hysterics at the dogs' amazing reactions! They would rush to the fence where we had stretched the Dog-Shun rope, start to bark and suddenly back away! So many thanks to you for a quiet summer." Another customer writes that tent caterpillars will not cross Dog-Shun when tied around tree trunks or laid on ground around shrubs, etc. Other animals find it equally offensive. Clean antiseptic odor, not offensive to humans. Roll of 110 ft.

2087 Dog-Shun. Postpaid. 1.69

### DOG-SHUN SPRAY

Famous Dog-Shun now in handy 16-oz. push-button aerosol can. Spray on problem spots.

2085 Dog-Shun Spray. Postpaid. 1.49

### ORDERING INSTRUCTIONS

**REMITTANCES.** Please send Money Orders or Checks. We cannot assume risk for currency.

**NO C.O.D.'s PLEASE!** We do not ship C.O.D. The extra charges you would have to pay are out of proportion to the cost of goods.

**DELIVERY TERMS.** Please read details of Delivery Terms on order blank, and follow.

**BULBS—SEEDS.** All Bulbs and Seeds sent prepaid when cash accompanies order.

**ALL OTHER GOODS.** All other goods are sent prepaid, but customer remits 25¢ for the first pound, and 10¢ for each additional pound unless item is marked "Postpaid."

(See space for figuring this on the Order Blank.)

**STORE DELIVERY.** Local orders through our stores will be delivered in accordance with the store delivery terms.

**CHARGE ORDERS.** If you have a regular "Charge Account" with BRECK'S and wish to charge from this catalog—or if you have a DINERS' CLUB or AMERICAN EXPRESS card—just fill in your number on Breck's Order Blank and do not show Shipping Weights. All Charge Orders are billed for merchandise, PLUS full postage.

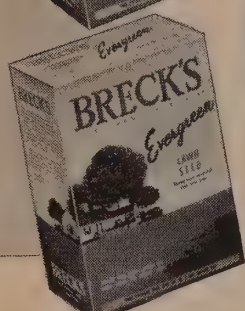
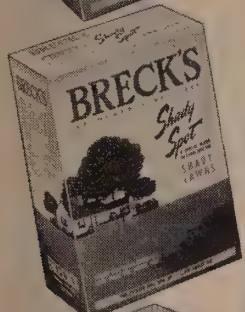
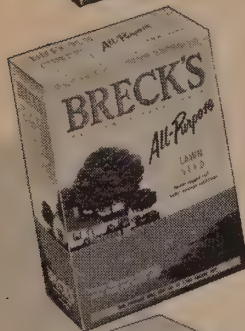
**SHORTAGES & PARTIAL SHIPMENTS.** Please open all cartons before reporting shortages. We often enclose small packages within larger bags to save transportation charges, etc. Onion sets, roots, bulbs, nursery stock are often sent separately and at later dates. If you must write us about any item, please send back all order papers which are enclosed in the package.

**FREE SEEDS  
IF YOU ORDER  
BEFORE APRIL 30**





"1818"  
2303  
5 lbs.  
**785**



# BRECK'S FAMOUS "1818" LAWN SEED

GUARANTEED TO GIVE YOU A LUSH, GREEN LAWN!

Breck's "1818"—named for the year Joseph Breck began selling seeds—is the finest mixture of re-cleaned, weed-free 100% perennial grasses (Bluegrasses, Fescues, Bentgrasses) you can buy! When you buy Breck's "1818", you buy a prescription formula that is maintained from year to year. Newly introduced grasses are added only after thorough testing for adaptability, disease resistance, habit of growth, ease of management, etc. An example is **Pennlawn Creeping Fescue**, a premium grass introduced several years ago, which is noted for disease resistance and its ability to spread rapidly and form a thick, durable turf.

Breck's "1818" is economical, too . . . it contains the cleanest, purest seeds grown, re-cleaned to the highest possible purity. Guaranteed 99.7% weed-free—over 97% pure seed—up to SIX TIMES AS MANY SEEDS PER POUND as so-called "economy" mixtures. "1818" covers more ground and contains 100% permanent grasses that grow and spread each year, making a thick, heavy turf.

Breck's "1818" carries the **Seal of Approval** of the Lawn and Turf Institute—a seal granted only to those lawn mixtures containing the finest turf grasses capable of producing thick green lawns! We're so confident of "1818" that we **GUARANTEE** you a lush, green lawn or your money back!

Complete instructions in every package. 1 lb. covers 500 sq. ft. Postpaid.  
2301 1 lb. 1.65; 2302 2 lbs. 3.25; 2303 5 lbs. 7.85  
2304P 25 lbs. 37.00; 2305P 50 lbs. 74.00; 2306P 100 lbs. 143.00

## BRECK'S ALL PURPOSE LAWN SEED

### For Play Areas

Grows well in sunny or fairly shady locations. Forms a dense, deep-rooted turf that stands lots of hard wear and tear. Specially formulated for hardiness, rapid growth, deep rooting, extra durability. Ideal for play areas, playgrounds. Postpaid.

2308 1 lb. 1.29; 2309 2 lbs. 2.49  
2310 5 lbs. 5.95; 2311P 25 lbs. 28.50

## BRECK'S SHADY SPOT LAWN SEED

### Thrives in Difficult Shaded Locations

The result of many years of research with grasses that will grow in shade. A special blend of the finest shade-loving grasses, it's the answer to the shade problem! Blends perfectly with Breck's "1818" in color and texture. Ppd.

2340 1 lb. 1.60 2341 5 lbs. 7.60 2342P 25 lbs. 36.00

## BRECK'S EVERGREEN LAWN SEED

### For Rugged Conditions — Stands Heavy Traffic

For problem spots where top quality might be a poor investment. Breck's Evergreen is a blend of cleaned and re-cleaned seeds that will grow in poor, dry soils or where regular care cannot be given. Ideal for summer homes. Quick growing; gives quick results when sown in hot weather. 1 lb. sows up to 250 sq. ft. Postpaid.

2315 1 lb. 98¢ 2316 2 lbs. 1.89; 2317 5 lbs. 3.98  
2318P 25 lbs. 18.75

## MERION BLUE MIXTURE

Dark green, vigorous, perfect for all conditions! Initially costly, slow-germinating Merion is combined with other members of the Bluegrass family to grow and look better, last longer. Contains over 40% certified Merion Bluegrass, plus high purity Kentucky bluegrass and Poa trivialis. Shows green in 7-10 days. 1 lb. sows 500 to 1000 sq. ft. Postpaid.

2331 1 lb. 2.65; 2332 5 lbs. 12.00

## MERION KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS

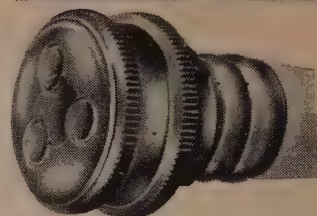
Ideal for thick, dark green, drought-and-weed resistant turf! Takes less growing time, mowing, watering than ordinary grasses . . . only half as much seed! 1 lb. sows 1000 sq. ft. Ppd.

2355 ½ lb. 1.85; 2356 1 lb. 3.25; 2357 5 lbs. 15.75

## CRABGRASS KILLER

Keep your lawn clean and free of crabgrass! Di Sodium Methyl Arsonate is a new selective chemical, kills crabgrass but not desirable turf grasses. 3 ozs. treats 375 sq. ft. Ppd.

2055 3 ozs. 1.00; 2056 12 ozs. 2.75; 2057 1½ lbs. 5.00



## SOFTSPRAY FOG NOZZLE

Produces a fine, drenching fog that drifts gently over plants, seedlings, newly seeded lawns . . . penetrating the soil quickly and evenly. Prevents water-damaged plants and washed-out seed! Made of lifetime rustproof metal . . . attaches to any standard garden hose. Ppd. 2150 Softspray. 1.19

## LAWN CLOVER

### White Dutch

Deep rooted, resists drought, keeps green in hot weather. Sow separately. 2384 ½ lb. Postpaid. 89¢

## BRECK'S GARDEVATOR

### For Lawn Use

At last! A scientifically designed aerator-cultivator that breaks up hard soil surfaces without making furrows . . . takes

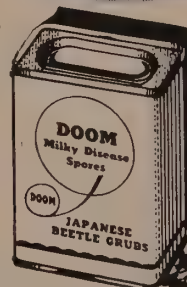


backache out of preparing seed beds . . . repairing lawns! 16 cadmium-plated, tool sharp, eight-pointed discs mounted in solid casting for easy rolling. Helps keep lawn, garden in top condition with minimum effort! 48" hardwood handle.

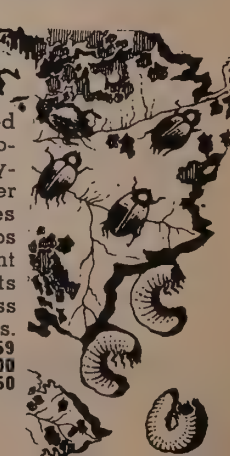
2770 Gardevator. Postpaid. 6.95

## DOOM KILLS JAP BEETLES

One application of harmless powder kills grubs in lawn!



Jap Beetle grubs feed on grass roots! One application of this milky-disease-spore powder in late Spring causes fatal disease in grubs . . . gives permanent control! ½ lb. treats 2000 sq. ft. Harmless to humans, pets, plants. 3023 10 oz. Ppd. 3.59  
3024 2½ lbs. Ppd. 14.00  
3025 5 lbs. Ppd. 27.50







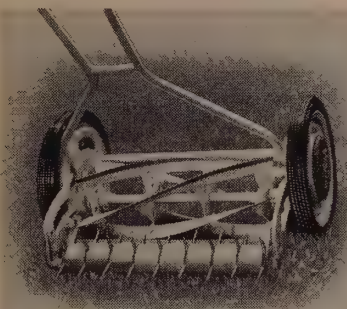
2069 8-oz.  
Ppd.  
**1.00**

2073L  
Ppd.  
**1.49**

### USE BRECK'S WEED KILLER WITH LITTLE SQUIRT!

Here's **positive** weed control... Breck's Little Squirt Weeder and Weed Killer! Just touch the Little Squirt dispenser to the heart of a weed and it's effectively destroyed... roots and all... with Breck's amazing, fast-acting formula containing deadly hormones 2,4-D and 2,4,5-T. Harmless to humans, pets, grasses, plants, yet it causes weeds to shrivel up and die almost before your eyes! One filling of the 30" shatterproof tube kills 1000 or more weeds.

2073L Little Squirt Weeder. Ppd. (Applicator Only)	1.49
2069 8-oz. Weed Killer. Ppd. (For use in Little Squirt)	1.00
2070 1-Qt. Weed Killer. Ppd.	2.75
2071 1-Gal. Weed Killer. Ppd.	6.95



### YOUR LAWN NEEDS BRECK'S ROLL-AERATOR

- \* 3 sizes to fit most mowers!
- \* Replaces existing roller!
- \* Easily, quickly installed!

For a greener, healthier lawn with **no extra work**, attach Roll-Aerator to your reel-type hand or power mower! Aerates your lawn as you mow... allows air, water and fertilizer to reach grass roots faster! Hardwood rollers with 5-pointed metal discs that rotate freely... mower can still be pivoted, pulled, heeled without strain! (Sizes refer to width of the mower blades.)

2780 16-17". Ppd.	<b>6<sup>95</sup></b>
2781 18-19". Ppd.	<b>7<sup>50</sup></b>
2782 20-22". Ppd.	<b>7<sup>95</sup></b>

## BRECK'S LAWNMAKER SPREADERS

with EXCLUSIVE LIFETIME RUBBER AGITATOR!

**BRECK'S LAWNMAKER JR.** For average lawns. One filling covers up to 2500 sq. ft. 17 in. wide. 8 in. rubber-tired wheels. **2191L Lawnmaker Jr. (Wt. 20 lbs.) 10.95**  
**BRECK'S LAWNMAKER.** Big, 20 in. size, covers up to 5000 sq. ft. with one filling. 10 in. wide tread, rubber-tired wheels. Simple, positive adjustment. Pays for itself in seed saved.  
**2193X Lawnmaker. (Illus.) Ex. Coll. 30 lbs. 16.95**  
**BRECK'S LAWNMAKER DELUXE.** The last word in spreaders! 24 in. wide. Hopper, bearings of rustproof, stainless steel.  
**2196X Lawnmaker Deluxe. Ex. Coll. 35 lbs. 29.95**



**16<sup>95</sup>**  
**2193X**

Popular 20" Model  
Lawnmaker

### IT'S HERE! New Light-Weight **TURF-GRO**

Breck's And Science Stride Forward to bring you an easy new way to feed and maintain a healthier, greener lawn... safely! New light-weight Turf-Gro nourishes, thickens growth. Less work, too, one application will last for months. Apply with Breck's Spreader. **Safeguards Lawn in Dry Spells.** Regular feeding with New Improved Turf-Gro's scientifically balanced formula conditions your lawn against summer droughts.

2140L Turf-Gro. Covers 2500 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 12 lbs.	2.85
2141L Turf-Gro. Covers 5000 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 24 lbs.	4.75
2 for 8.95	



### JUMBO "BIG SWEEP" RAKE

Double the size... half the work of raking with your old, cumbersome rake! **Big Sweep** outmodes 'em all... for lightness, convenience, easy handling! Does the job of 3 ordinary rakes! Giant-size, of feather-light anodized aluminum; spring steel tines sweep clean even in heavy leaves.

2847L (5 lbs.) 44" wide	2846L (4 lbs.) 36" wide	2845L (4 lbs.) 30" wide
<b>9.95</b>	<b>8.95</b>	<b>7.95</b>

### NEW! FINE COMB MODEL

Almost twice as many teeth as rake above... ideal for pine needles, fine clippings, etc. Available in 30 in. width only.

2848L Fine Comb. 4 lbs.	8.95
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### THE IDEAL LAWN EDGING!



- Easy to install!
- Safe when mowed over!
- Lasts for years!

Full 40-ft. length of rigid, lawn-green, vinyl edging, 4 in. high to keep lawn and garden edges neat! Safe... easy to use. Edges can't cut you or harm mowers. Cuts to correct size with ordinary shears. Resists acid, alkali, scale, rot, rust.  
**2611 Lawn Edge. Ppd. 3.75**

### BRECK'S AIDS TO BETTER LAWNS

#### GRUBTROL

Contains both Chlordane and Aldrin for fast, sure control of grubs, ants, lawn moths, etc. ... even garden cutworms!

2023L 2500 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 5 lbs.	2.45
2024L 5000 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 10 lbs.	3.95

#### FEED NO WEED

2,4-D plus 2,4,5-T kills broad-leaved weeds quickly, safely... nitrogen plant food stimulates good grasses to fill in bare spots. Use in Breck's Lawnmaker Spreader for exact coverage. For entire lawn or isolated weed-infected areas.

2065L 2500 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 10 lbs.	3.45
2066L 5000 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 19 lbs.	5.95

#### D-STROY CRABGRASS KILLER

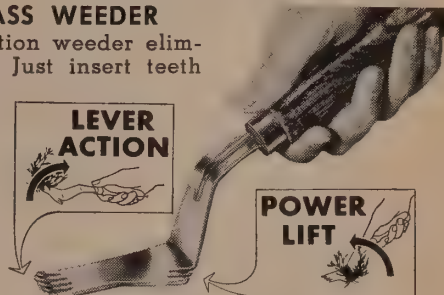
Contains disodium methyl arsonate in ready-to-use form. Just fill Lawnmaker Spreader, set dial, walk over crabgrass. One or two applications do the trick.

2061L 2500 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 10 lbs.	3.95
2062L 5000 sq. ft. Sh. Wt. 19 lbs.	6.95

### CRAB GRASS WEEDER

Handy lever-action weeder eliminates digging! Just insert teeth into weed roots, press slightly. Out comes entire weed, root and all! Rugged, rustproof, triple chrome steel; wood handle. Postpaid.

**2825 Crab Jack. 1.00**



### Easy-To-Use, Economical TURF FUNGICIDE

Use Acti-Dione RZ to prevent brown patch, dollar spot, leaf spot and most lawn diseases from disfiguring your lawn during hot, humid weather! Simple to use. 1 envelope treats 1000-3000 sq. ft.  
**3002 Acti-Dione RZ, 1.6 oz. Postpaid. 1.50**





**SAFE  
FOR  
HUMANS, PETS!**

#### WONDER BAR KILLS WEEDS LIKE MAGIC!

Lightly drag this amazing 2-ft. block of wax over your lawn **once** and it will leave a deadly-to-weeds, driftproof deposit of 2-4D! No mixing, measuring, extra tools or sprayers! Safe, quick-acting. Harmless to humans, pets. Won't track indoors. One bar treats 20,000 sq. ft. or lawn 100x200 ft.

**3062 Wonder Bar. Postpaid. 4.98**



#### WALK 'N WEED SPRAY

Lets you spot-weed without stooping... Jet-Stream action pinpoints broadleaf lawn weeds as you walk. Leaves visible tracer... you can easily see what hasn't been treated! Sprays fine mist, too. 14-oz. kills about 600 weeds. Postpaid.

**3031 Walk 'n Weed. 1.98**



#### **NEW!** NON-ARSENICAL WEEDKILLER

For Driveways, Walks,  
Patios, Etc.

Now! Use Xall—an entirely new, organic-type general weedkiller—whenever a **complete kill of all vegetation** is desired! It has low toxicity, is safer for people and pets... contains a high-efficiency combination of modern chemicals to save tedious, back-breaking hours of hand weeding! **Caution: not for use on lawns and gardens!** Ideal for tennis courts, fence lines, stone walls, too.

- 3070 Xall, 2-oz.**  
Treats 75 sq. ft. Ppd. **1.00**
- 3071 Xall, 8-oz.**  
Treats 300 sq. ft. Ppd. **2.75**
- 3072 Xall Concentrate, 1 lb.**  
Treats 2,000 sq. ft. Ppd. **7.50**
- 3073 Xall Concentrate, 2½ lbs.**  
Treats 5,000 sq. ft. Ppd. **16.50**

#### SOAK N' SPRAY GARDEN SOAKING HOSE

NEW! Two-in-one foam vinyl hose permits both soaking and spraying of your valuable flower beds and gardens! Simply attach to faucet and turn on low—water oozes through pores to soak ground completely... increase pressure—jet streams rise to 4 or 5 ft.! Place in and out of rows, around horseshoe turns, in circular beds, anywhere! Lasts indefinitely! Will not rot or mildew. Postpaid.

- 2786 25 ft. Soak n' Spray. 1.98**
- 2788 50 ft. Soak n' Spray. 3.48**



#### AMCHEM IVY BOMB

- Kills Poison Ivy!
- Kills Poison Oak!
- Handy Spray Can!

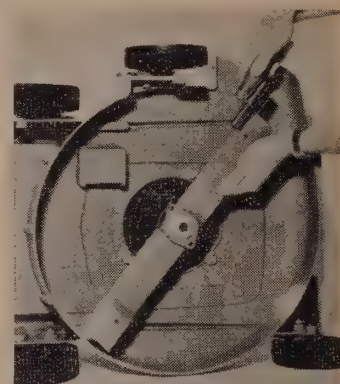
Kill poison ivy, oak at a safe distance! New nozzle shoots long-range spray 8 ft. long! Permanent... destroys roots and all! Controls unwanted grass. Contains Amino-Triazole (Amitrol). Allow about 14 days for complete kill. Can be used effectively at any time when plants are growing. Postpaid.

**3033 16-oz. Bomb. 1.95**

#### GAY BLADE ROTARY MOWER SHARPENER

Sharpen your rotary mower in just 30 seconds—without removing blade! Imagine—now you can keep it sharp all the time with no cost, no effort! Simple downward stroke does the job! Saves wear and tear on engine, eliminates stalling, gives you smoother, greener lawns. Pays for itself in time and money saved! Postpaid.

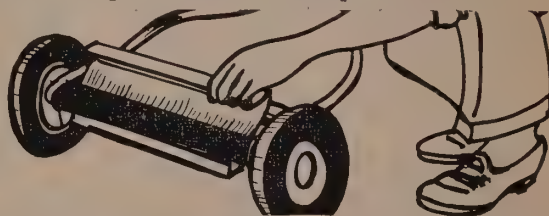
**2769 Gay Blade Sharpener. 2.98**



#### JIFFY LAWN MOWER SHARPENER For Reel-Type Mowers

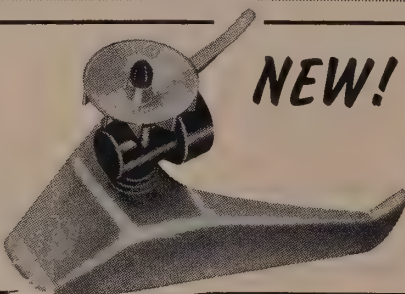
Don't pay to have your lawn mower sharpened—do it yourself in minutes with Jiffy! So simple—needs no tools or parts to attach! Gives new life to old mowers—professional results every time! Fits all reel type mowers 16" and over. Postpaid.

**2772 Jiffy Lawn Mower Sharpener. 3.95**



**PREVENT LAWN DISEASES WITH PANOGEN TURF SPRAY**—Keep lawn healthy and beautiful! A few easy-to-make applications give complete, positive protection! Control disease by stopping infection from spreading! Panogen contains an organic methylmercury compound—proven effective in all parts of the U. S. Recommended by leading turf specialists as the most effective fungicide for lawn use! 8 ounces will treat approximately 2500 square feet.

- 3102 8 oz. Turf Spray. Postpaid. 2.49**
- 3103 16 oz. Turf Spray. Postpaid. 3.98**



#### TURBINE-ACTION SPRINKLER

Whirling Dervish attaches to any garden hose and covers up to 2500 square foot area! Just lay on the ground, adjust for fine or coarse spray... turn on water and give lawn or garden the benefit of a soaking rainstorm! Rustproof, unbreakable. Ppd.

**2827 Whirling Dervish.**

**98c**



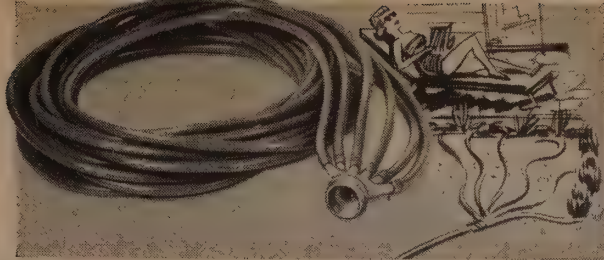


Save  
Water!  
Save  
Money!

### WATERBOY AUTOMATIC TIMER

Now you can water lawn, garden without tedious hoseholding! Cuts water bills, too! Just set it, forget it! Shuts off at time selected (up to 2 hrs.)! Rugged metal. Precision-made, will fit any hose. Postpaid.

2787 Timer. 13.50



### SIX-ARM OCTOPUS HOSE

Deep-soaks six ways at once . . . saves time, work, water! Attaches to standard hose . . . extends 6 varied-length arms (2 each of 6-ft., 8-ft., 10-ft.) to where they're needed! Protects from leaf burn, bloom loss, mildew. Weatherproof, lightweight, durable plastic.

2877 Octopus Hose. Postpaid.

4.98



### Water-Saving AUTOMATIC HOSE NOZZLE

Squeeze it, it sprays; release and it stops! Gives you instant automatic control with an easy press of your hand! Sprays from a fine mist to a stream; locks in any position. Rustproof chrome-plated metal; fits any hose. Contoured-grip handle. Guaranteed. Postpaid.

2800 Automatic Hose Nozzle. 1.49



### "C" HOSE STAKE

No more damaged flower beds! "C"-shaped stake will protect your flowers, shrubs and your hose! Just hammer stake to ground level at any corner of the garden—anchors your hose safely out of the way! Made of heavy, high quality steel—2 ft. long and  $\frac{3}{8}$ " in diam. Rustproof; green top provides "invisibility." Fills a basic need in every garden.

2792L Hose Stake. Ppd. 1.95



### INSTANT HOSE COUPLING

Leak-Proof!  
Fool-Proof!

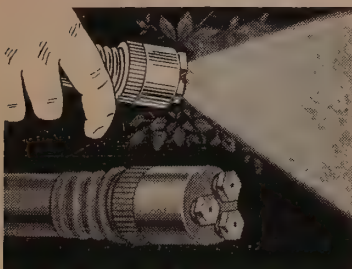
Easy to  
Attach!

### NO MORE LEAKY CONNECTIONS!

Take just a quarter-turn to connect your hose, faucet, nozzle, sprinkler or car mop . . . any hose attachments! Positively leakproof—no rings or washers to wear out! Built on the same principle as high pressure steam quick couplers. Rustproof, all metal.

2773 Coupling. Postpaid. 1.00

2774 Male Coupler only. Ppd. 40¢



**FOGG-IT FOG NOZZLE** means just that! Attached to any garden hose, it produces—under any pressure—a drenching fog that will not harm or wash out the tenderest seedling. A must for watering newly seeded lawns, rare greenhouse plants. Creates humidity!

2776 Fogg-It Nozzle. Ppd. 1.95



### ALL ALUMINUM HOSE RACK



### Protects and Stores Your Hose

Guard your hose from damage this inexpensive way! Strong, lightweight rack of solid aluminum stores up to 100 ft. of hose neatly and out of the way. Curved plate prevents kinking. Easy to use. Attaches to wall or side of house, detaches for wintertime storage.

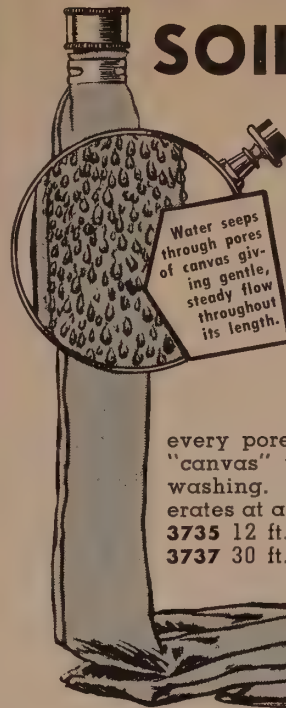
2562 Hose Rack. Postpaid. 1.00



## SOIL SOAKER

● Saves 25-40%  
In Water Bills

● No Spray to  
Evaporate!



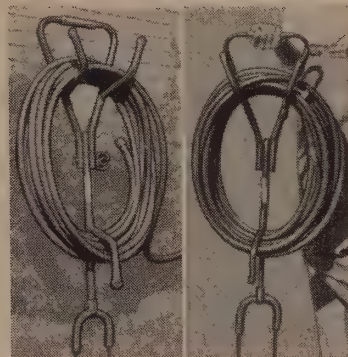
Water seeps through pores of canvas giving gentle, steady flow throughout its length.

Soaks like an all-night rain . . . deep and slowly! A simple, easy way to put water just where it's needed—in the soil at the plant roots!

Water seeps through every pore of the flexible,  $1\frac{1}{8}$ " heavy "canvas" tubing . . . soaking without washing. Fits any garden hose. Operates at any normal pressure. Ppd.

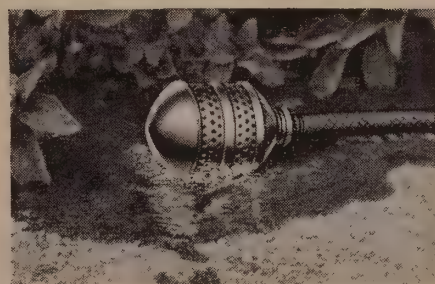
3735 12 ft. 2.10; 3736 18 ft. 2.85  
3737 30 ft. 4.10; 3738 50 ft. 6.50

### PORTABLE HOSE-TENDER



Store your hose right at the faucet! Portable rack can be stuck in ground anywhere to hold 100 ft. of hose. Use while sprinkling—adjustable clip holds nozzle in sprinkling position. Handy loop handle to hang up for winter storage.

2778L Hose-Tender.  $3\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. 3.95



● Save Time!  
● Save Plants!  
● Gentle Action!  
● No Wash-Outs!

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### DROUGHT-MASTER WATER SOAKER

Lets You Water DEEP and FAST  
Without Root Or Soil Wash-Out!

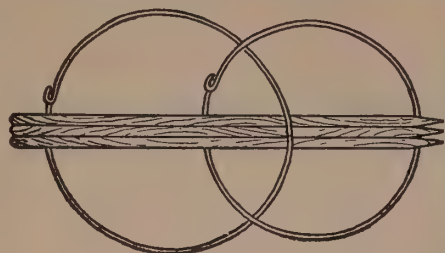
Just attach to hose . . . turn water on full blast . . . and let Water Soaker do the rest! Easiest way to give flower beds, lawns, vegetable gardens, trees, shrubs a good, deep, steady soaking! Gentle flood action never harms roots with wash-out . . . even in the softest earth. Thorough, better watering . . . less often! No wet foliage to cause leaf burns, plant diseases. Slips under lower branches, leaves. Of durable aluminum, no moving parts to wear out or replace. Patented baffle inside gives perfect performance.

2841 Water Soaker. Postpaid.

1.69 45



## PLANT SUPPORTS IMPROVE YOUR GARDEN!



### TOMATO & PEONY SUPPORTS

Keep tomatoes off the ground for cleaner, sun-ripened fruit . . . guard your prized peonies and other bushy perennials from mid-summer storm damage! Two strong wire rings are supported by 3 lifetime redwood uprights. Fold flat for carefree winter storage. 36 in. high. Pay for themselves in foliage, fruit and blossoms saved! Easy to assemble. Insert wires through stakes and fasten together. Wt. per six, 9 lbs.

**2666L** Tomato Supports. 6 for 3.89;  
12 for 7.49



### BRECK'S ADJUSTABLE PLANT SUPPORTS

The best we've seen—supports bushy plants without that "tied-up" look! 52-in. lifetime redwood stake holds 2 heavy-gauge wire hoops around plant in any of 5 positions, 5 in. apart. Top hoop 15 in. diam., lower 12 in.—reverse if necessary. Easily assembled—hoops fasten together. Wt. per six, 5 lbs.

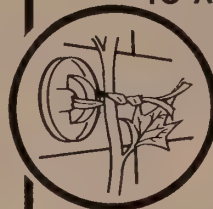
**2665L** Adjustable Plant Supports.  
Six, 2.89 Doz., 5.49



## NEW!

### BRECK'S GARDEN WALL TIES

ATTACH WITHOUT NAILS  
TO ALMOST ANY SURFACE!



Will not damage surface! Merely apply adhesive (included) to flat area of transparent lucite discs supplied . . . press disc to brick, concrete, wood, stucco wall and tie plant with weatherproof green plastic ties provided. Plants can be removed with ease for house painting, repair work. Kit includes 12 discs, 12 ties, adhesive. Postpaid.

**2710** Garden Wall Tie Kit.

1.00

### VINE GUIDES

Supports for wayward vines . . . attach without nailing to any surface . . . the secret is cement (incl.)! No marring, neat! Box of 20. Ppd. 2724 White. 2725 Gray. 2726 Red. 1.00 box; 3 boxes for 2.85



### TWIST-EMS—HANDY PLANT TIES

Strong, broad, dark-green tapes with invisible wire reinforcing. Easy to use—just a simple twist of the wrist and plants are tied securely! Better than string or wire. Fastens quickly, won't damage the tenderest plants.



No. Size Pkg.

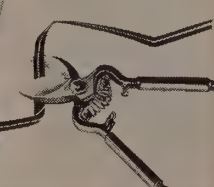
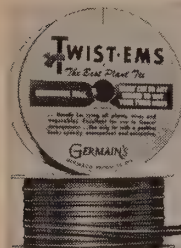
**2712** 8 in. 100 Ppd. 29¢; 4 pkgs. Ppd. 1.10

**2713** 16 in. 100 Ppd. 57¢; 2 pkgs. Ppd. 1.10

### FENCE RODS

Tops as temporary or permanent fences, supports for bushy plants. You get 33-in. of 2-loop, heavy-gauge green rods. Run wire, string or rope through loops to use.

**2631L** Pkg. of 12 Rods.  
3 lbs. 2.40



### TWIST-EMS PLANT TIES IN 250-FT. CONTINUOUS ROLL

The same strong, broad, dark-green tape with invisible wire reinforcing as above right—but in a handy, snip-to-size roll! Easily cut to any length to suit your varying garden tying needs! Simple to use—one twist, and plants are quickly and securely tied! Won't harm even the most delicate plants. Protects stems and permanently supports annuals, perennials, vines, shrubs and vegetables. Ppd.

**2714** Twist-Ems, 250' Roll. 1.00  
2 Rolls for 1.89

**ROUND PLANT STAKES.** Beautifully finished, slim, tapering wood stakes of dark foliage green. Light, but strong and durable.

	Height		Doz.
<b>2640L</b>	2 ft.	Wt. 1 lb.	1.00
<b>2641L</b>	3 ft.	Wt. 2 lbs.	1.75
<b>2642L</b>	4 ft.	Wt. 3 lbs.	2.60
<b>2643L</b>	5 ft.	Wt. 5 lbs.	3.35
<b>2644X</b>	6 ft.	Ex. Coll. 6 lbs.	4.10

**SQUARE PLANT STAKES.** Heavy, tapering wooden stakes, nicely finished and painted dark foliage-green. Good support, particularly suited for heavier plants. See also p. 65.

	Height		Doz.
<b>2646L</b>	4 ft.	Wt. 5 lbs.	3.00
<b>2647L</b>	5 ft.	Wt. 9 lbs.	3.75
<b>2648X</b>	6 ft.	(Ex. Coll. 11 lbs.)	4.75

### TRAIN-ETTES, Weatherized Netting Trellises.



NEW!  
DIFFERENT!

Ideal support for Morning Glories, Sweet Peas, etc. Easy to hang, attractive, strong, durable. Won't rot like string or burn like wire. Postpaid.

<b>2695</b>	5 x 6 ft.	75¢; 3 for 2.20
<b>2696</b>	5 x 8 ft.	95¢; 3 for 2.80
<b>2697</b>	5 x 15 ft.	1.35; 3 for 3.95

**GREEN BAMBOO STAKES.** Slim, pliant bamboo, stained dark green to be inconspicuous and neat. The smaller sizes are pencil-thick and ideal for pot plants.

	Height		100
<b>2633L</b>	2 ft.	Wt. 3 lbs.	1.35
<b>2634L</b>	3 ft.	Wt. 5 lbs.	1.75
<b>2635L</b>	4 ft.	Wt. 7 lbs.	2.25
<b>2636X</b>	5 ft.	(Ex. Coll. 9 lbs.)	3.50
<b>2637X</b>	6 ft.	(Ex. Coll. 12 lbs.)	4.75

**SOFT JUTE TWINE—FOR TYING PLANTS.** Soft, yet strong . . . will not cut tender plants.

<b>2707</b> Green.	1/2 lb. ball. Ppd.	60¢
<b>2706</b> Natural.	1/2 lb. ball. Ppd.	50¢

**"BENDA - BRACE".** Handy, practical, invisible! Keeps bushy plants braced against wind and weather, yet permits them to maintain their natural grace. Corrugated 16-in. bands—easily shaped. Green-painted heavy wire.

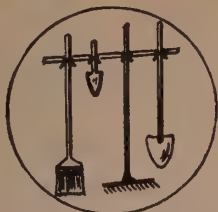


	Wt.	Doz.	Wt.	25
<b>2670L</b>	5 in. high	3 lbs.	3.00	5 lbs. 6.00
<b>2671L</b>	10 in. high	3 lbs.	3.30	6 lbs. 6.60
<b>2672L</b>	15 in. high	4 lbs.	3.60	6 lbs. 7.20
<b>2673L</b>	25 in. high	7 lbs.	6.00	13 lbs. 12.00





**Sliding  
Clamps!**



### SPACE-SAVER TOOL HANGERS

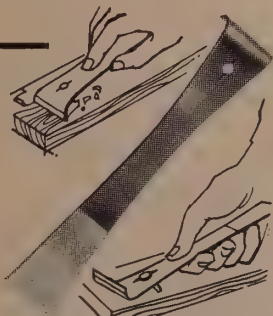
Steel spring securely grip workshop tools, kitchen mop, broom, etc., with a mere press of lever. Set of 4 metal clips is attached to one 12" long metal rack that fits on wall with screws incl. Clips slide along rack to accommodate any size tool. Great for sports equipment, too, or in garage or cellar for garden tools . . . keeps them neatly at hand, floor tidy! **8595 Hold-All Rack. Ppd. 1.00**



### GOLDEN-GLO TOOLS

Stunning gifts for your gardening friends! Unique 'n practical beauties—gracefully styled with triple-finished, vacuum-plated heads of pale, yellow shimmering gold finish . . . deep, ebony-black hardwood handles! Postpaid.

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| <b>2879 Garden Trowel.</b>        | <b>98¢</b> |
| <b>2880 Transplanting Trowel.</b> | <b>98¢</b> |
| <b>2881 Culti-Hoe.</b>            | <b>98¢</b> |
| <b>2882 Cultivator, 3 tines.</b>  | <b>98¢</b> |
| <b>2883 Rake, 5 tooth.</b>        | <b>98¢</b> |
| <b>2884 Weeder.</b>               | <b>98¢</b> |



### WONDER TOOL

**It Has 100 and 1 Uses!**

Most useful tool we know for home, boat, shop, hobbyist! Pulls nails, staples . . . scrapes, chisels . . . opens boxes, stuck windows . . . lifts wallpaper! 9½" long, of hardened tempered steel ground to keen edge.

**8495 Wonder Tool. Ppd. 1.00**

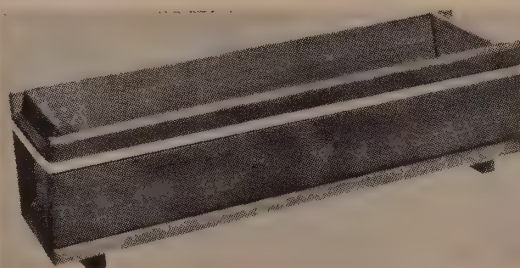


### OCTAGONAL REDWOOD PLANT TUBS

- **Best You Can Buy For Outdoor Use!**
- **Hard-To-Find Jumbo Sizes!**
- **Attractive For Lawn, Porch, Patio!**

Made of true California redwood . . . the most durable wood for outdoor use produced in America! Don't take our word for it . . . that's the classification given California Redwood by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture! These tubs are built to last, too! Non-rusting brass-plated bands . . . polished and laquered . . . enhance the burnished red of the wood. Handsome complement to greenery . . . tasteful addition to porch, patio or lawn! Postpaid.

2700 Octagonal Tub ( 8" Diam.)	3.50
2701 Octagonal Tub (10" Diam.)	4.25
2702 Octagonal Tub (12" Diam.)	5.75
2703 Octagonal Tub (14" Diam.)	6.95



### WINDOW BOX PLANTERS

Durable redwood window box planters lend decorative touch to any room—may be used outdoors, too! Completely weatherproof . . . nicely finished with tight joints, highly polished, non-rusting brass-plated bands. Postpaid.

<b>2741L Planter. 26"x9"x7" high.</b>	<b>6.95</b>
<b>2742L Planter. 32"x9"x7" high.</b>	<b>7.95</b>



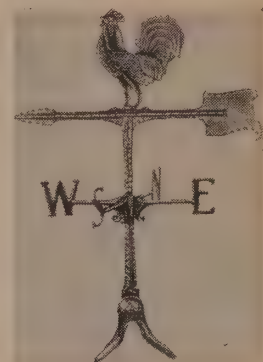
### EXPANDABLE "REDWOOD" TRELLIS

Handsome redwood-finish trellis "grows" to keep pace with your outdoor climbers . . . shows them off at their best! Folds compactly for convenient storage. Built for rugged weathering with non-rusting, tubular nickel-plated rivets and rainproof oil finish. All sizes extend to 8-ft. in height (widths adjust to expansion). Postpaid.

<b>2860 Trellis, 25-30" wide.</b>	<b>3.95</b>
<b>2859 Trellis, 16-20" wide.</b>	<b>2.95</b>
<b>2858 Trellis, 8-11" wide.</b>	<b>1.95</b>

**Breck's  
Best  
Weather-  
vane  
Value!**

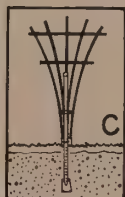
• **Rich-  
Looking**  
• **Practical**



### Country-Charm Weathervane

Rich, black finish, cast in relief . . . on lifetime cast aluminum stand, 26" overall with 18¼" arrow. Adjustable 3" directional letters. Swivel base mounts to any roof—flat, pitched, horizontal, cupola or sloped. Rust and weather-proof.

<b>2893 Rooster. Postpaid.</b>	<b>9.75</b>
<b>2894 Horse &amp; Buggy. Postpaid.</b>	<b>9.75</b>
<b>2895 Horse. Postpaid.</b>	<b>9.75</b>



### NEW TWIN-USE ALUMINUM GARDEN TRELLIS

**Supports Climbing Plants—Can Water Roots!**

**Trellis.** Attractive five-element, fan-type trellis (see A, left) of ⅜" tubular aluminum construction, mounts 54" high, 33" wide. Gives firm, generous support to vines, climbing plants! Easily assembled. Won't ever rot, rust or need painting . . . keeps its new look even after years of all-weather exposure! Mount it to Root-Feeder Post (B) . . . (sold separately below) with two U-bolts. Postpaid.

**2739L Aluminum Trellis Only.**

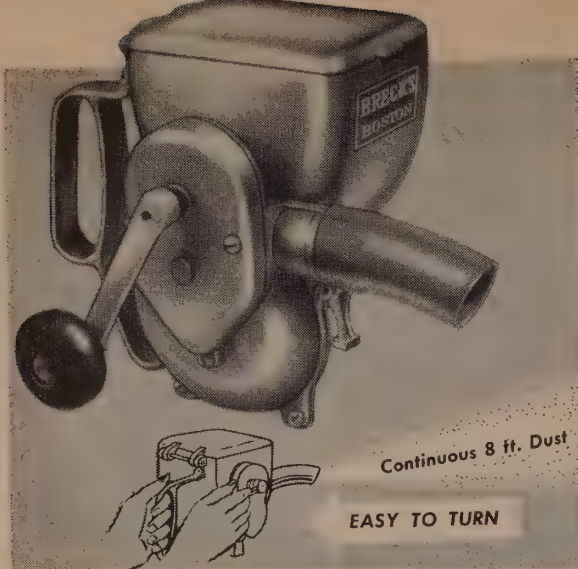
**295**

**Root-Feeder & Mounting Post (B).** Made of 1¼-in. perforated tubing . . . provides convenient watering and fertilizer feeding system. Use alone or as support for Trellis above (as shown in C). Postpaid.

**2740L 44¾" Mounting Tube-Feeder.**

**199**





## BRECK'S DUSTMAKER

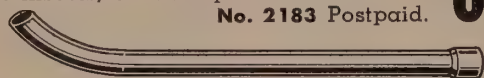
Compact, lightweight, rotary-type duster—throws an 8 ft. stream with a turn of the handle! Only 1 1/4 lbs. . . holds enough to treat a good-sized garden. Rust-proof metal alloy. Adjustable nozzle reaches under leaves, flowers. Precision gears. New rotary principle gives economical coverage.

### SPECIAL BONUS OFFER!

1 lb. of Breck's Rose and Flower Spray-Dust with each Dustmaker at no extra charge! Controls insects, common plant diseases.

No. 2183 Postpaid.

**895**



18" PLASTIC EXTENSION

2185 Extension. Postpaid.

39¢

## MANY PURPOSE SPRAY

A remarkable spray based on a Univ. of Mass. formula, the most effective known for insect and disease control! **Captan, malathion and methoxychlor**, blended together in this easy-to-use-spray. Control Jap beetle, curculio, many fruit maggots, worms, aphids, brown rot, scab, etc. Directions, spray chart on label.

2039 1/2 lb. Postpaid.

1.19

2040 1 lb. Postpaid.

1.98

2041 3 lbs. Postpaid.

4.95

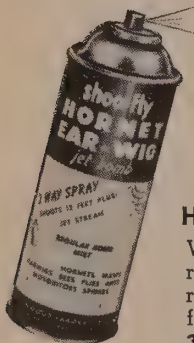
### COMBINATION OFFER!

**369**  
Ppd.

No work—no insects or diseases—save! You get both 1 lb. Many Purpose Spray plus Breck's Hose Sprayer (p. 49).

2179 Spray and Garden Sprayer  
2181 Spray and Lawn & Tree Sprayer

"Early this Spring I purchased from your company one can of Breck's Many Purpose Spray. . . This spray has worked wonders. . . Soon friends and neighbors began asking me to spray for them. . . now they have asked me to order this spray for them." W.R.M., Penna.



## HORNET, EARWIG JET BOMB

With new 2-way action nozzle. Deadly 12' spray reaches to nests, eaves; fine mist does short-range surface-spraying. Effective for weeks . . . for all common pests! Completely safe. Postpaid.

3030 14-oz. Hornet-Earwig Bomb. 1.98

## ROSE & FLOWER SPRAY-DUST

Breck's Spray-Dust is made up of modern chemicals to control all common rose and flower diseases and pests. Stomach poisons kill chewing insects. Fermate and sulphur control common diseases as mildew, etc. Add water to spray or dust directly from can.

2043 1/2 lb. Squeeze Can. Ppd.

98¢

2044 Rose-Flower. 1 lb. Ppd.

1.25

2045 Rose-Flower. 4 lbs. Ppd.

3.50

## JAP BEETLE SPRAY-DUST

Complete control for Japanese beetles and other chewing insects on ornamentals and vegetables. Mix with water or use as dry dust. Easy-to-follow instructions. Best control yet for Gladiolus Thrips!

2028 1/2 lb. Squeeze Can. Ppd.

98¢

2029 Jap Spray Dust. 1 lb. Ppd.

1.59

## ANT & EARWIG SPRAY-DUST

Just the right amount of **Chlordane** (6%) to kill ants and earwigs. Controls grasshoppers, fleas, ticks, chiggers, mosquitos, chinch bugs. Use as a spray or dust. Keep handy to control ants in the house.

2001 1/2 lb. Squeeze Can. Ppd.

59¢

2002 Ant & Earwig. 1 lb. Ppd.

89¢

2003 Ant & Earwig. 4 lbs. Ppd.

1.95

## VEGETABLE SPRAY-DUST

Here's a scientifically formulated spray and dust combination for controlling bean beetles and common insects and diseases on vegetables. May be applied as a dust or as a wettable spray. Instructions included.

2049 1/2 lb. Squeeze Can. Ppd.

65¢

2050 Veg. Spray-Dust. 1 lb. Ppd.

98¢

2051 Veg. Spray-Dust. 4 lbs. Ppd.

2.50

## FRUIT TREE SPRAY-DUST

All you need in one spray. Contains **DDT, Malathion, Captan** and **Micronic Sulphur**. Use on Apple, Pear, Peach and Plum trees for control of diseases and insects. Mix with water or as a dust.

2019 Fruit Spray-Dust. 1 lb. Ppd.

1.25

2020 Fruit Spray-Dust. 4 lbs. Ppd.

3.75

## CHLORDANE 50-W

Use as a spray to control Japanese beetles, grubs, ants, white grubs and most soil insects. Use at any time when ground isn't frozen. 1 lb. protects 2000 sq. ft. for years!

2007 Chlordane 50-W. 1/2 lb. Ppd.

1.25

2008 Chlordane 50-W. 1 lb. Ppd.

2.25

2009 Chlordane 50-W. 4 lbs. Ppd.

6.50

## BRECK'S CHLORDANE 72% EMULSION

Liquid Chlordane for use in garden or lawn. Controls Beetle grubs, ants, etc. May also be used in Crabgrass control.

2013 Chlordane, 6-oz. Ppd.

1.50

2014 Chlordane, 16-oz. Ppd.

3.50

2015 Chlordane, 32-oz. Ppd.

5.00

## NEMAGON FOR SOIL NEMATODES

A tiny worm . . . no larger than these dots . . . may be eating away the roots of your prized flowers, ornamentals, vegetables! Control these pests with Nemagon. Complete instructions.

3035 Nemagon, Pint. Postpaid.

4.00

## BRECK'S MALATHION 50% EMULSION

Controls aphids, leaf miners, leaf rollers, Japanese beetles, etc. We class Malathion as one of the most useful insecticides available to home gardeners. **Best control for Birch Leaf-Miners!**

2035 Malathion, 3-oz. Postpaid.

89¢

2036 Malathion, 6-oz. Postpaid.

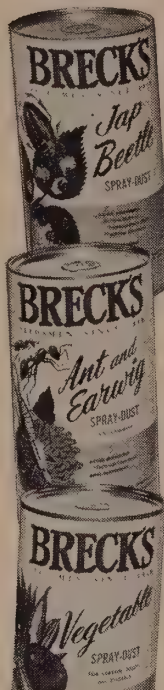
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## TROUBLED WITH ANTS?

Use big 16 oz., easy-to-use pushbutton **Ant Spray Bomb**. Contains just the right strength **chlordane** to effectively destroy ants, earwigs, roaches, spiders, etc. Not for use on plants. Postpaid.

2076 16-oz. Ant Spray Bomb.

1.59





# ROLL AND SPRAY

ROLLS ON WHEELS!

Ends lugging, lifting heavy spray tanks . . . rolls where needed! 3-gal. steel tank, metal, rubber-grip handle; rubber tired heavy-duty plastic wheels, white enamel finish. 74-in. heavy plastic spray hose with 18-in brass extension rod, pistol-grip discharge valve, adjustable nozzle. Sprays 3 to 15 ft.—gardens, shrubs, trees! 27-in. pump handle builds pressure with fingertip action. Safety pressure valve. Drain plug for speedy emptying, cleaning.



3-gal. tank  
74" hose  
Pistol grip  
valve

2174P  
Prepaid

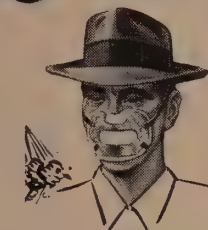
**21<sup>95</sup>**



## BRECK'S SPRAYMAKER, JR.

So lightweight, even the ladies find this 2-gallon compressed air sprayer readily portable! Balanced handle for easy carrying. Brass extension with handy adjustable spray nozzle that sprays from 3 to 15 feet. Easy-action pump with safety pressure release. Only 12-in. high . . . yet has all the quality features of larger sprayers. Postpaid.

2170L Spraymaker, Jr. **10.95**



## SPRAY MASK

For your health's sake, wear a mask when you spray! Helps control allergies, too! Of flexible aluminum . . . fits facial contours. Adjustable headband holds it in place. Frequent changing of sterilized fillers adds to its effectiveness. Postpaid.

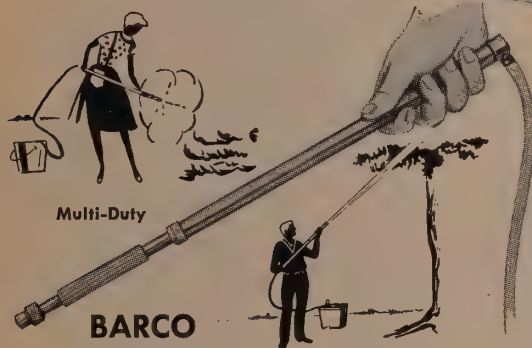
2553 Spray Mask. **.65¢**  
2554 Set of 25 extra fillers. **.75¢**



## 3 1/2 GALLON SPRAYMAKER

With 3-ft. heavy-duty red plastic hose! 18-in. brass extension, non-clog, adjustable nozzle sprays fine mist to 15-ft. stream. Rugged, pre-galvanized, 3 1/2-gal. tank, high-volume pump, safety pressure release. Easy-to-fill top. Postpaid.

2172L Spraymaker. **12.95**



## BARCO SPRAYER

High or Low

This lightweight wonder (just under 2 lbs.) performs a number of spraying jobs both inside and outside the home! Easy pumping action throws a stream up to 30-feet long . . . or a fine, fog-like mist for delicate seedlings. All metal, precision made. Rust and corrosion proof. Use with insecticides, whitewash, soluble paints, etc., too.

2837L Garden Sprayer. Postpaid. **6.98**

2838L Jr. Sprayer (with 2-qt. Jar). Postpaid. **6.98**

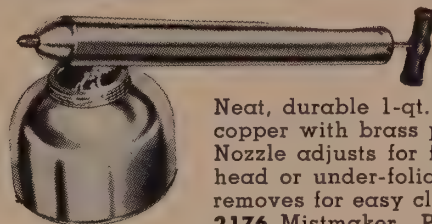


## ROSE AND FLOWER SPRAY BOMB

Be proud to show people your garden with its beautiful, unmarked foliage and flowers! Keep it that way easily by using the marvelous chemicals in Breck's Rose & Flower Bomb! So neat and simple to use! Just push the button and give your garden complete protection from insects and diseases! Handy for spot treatment of newly opened blossoms. Postpaid.

2078 16-oz. Rose-Flower Bomb.

**1.59**

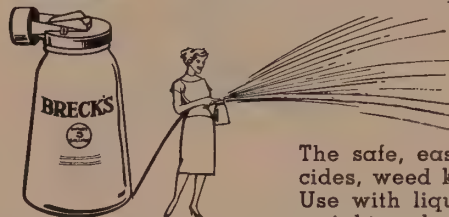


## BRECK'S COPPER MISTMAKER

Neat, durable 1-qt. sprayer of heavy, quality copper with brass pump. Won't corrode, rust! Nozzle adjusts for fine or coarse spray, overhead or under-foliage coverage! Siphon tube removes for easy cleaning. Lightweight.

2176 Mistmaker. Postpaid.

**6.49**



## NON-CLOG HOSE SPRAYERS

### One-Finger Control

The safe, easy way to apply pesticides, weed killers, liquid fertilizers. Use with liquids or powders. Lightweight, unbreakable jars.

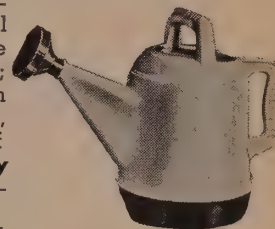
2178 For Gardens. Sprays a 4-ft. wide mist . . . covers plants safely, accurately. 5-gallon capacity. Postpaid. **1.98**

2180 For Lawns or Trees. Quick-drenching 8-ft. wide spray feeds or protects from insects, diseases. 15-gal. capacity. Ppd. **1.98**

## TWO-GAL. SPRINKLING CAN

8-qt. capacity! Colorful unbreakable polyethylene; 12-inch high . . . screw-on, leak proof head. Specify pink or yellow. Ppd.

2728 Can **3.25**



**New!**

## DRAGON GARDEN HOSE SPRAYER

- Lightweight! Easy To Use and Fill!
- No Breakable Jars, Messy Mixing!

So clean to handle and adjust—without splattering, drip, drizzle—that you can use it without changing clothes! Gives a close-in fog spray or long-distance jet spray . . . ideal for applying liquid insecticides, fertilizers, chemicals to foliage, bushes, hedges, delicate flowers. Extra-long nozzle extension of corrosion-proof extruded aluminum reaches overhead foliage or beneath bushes. Graduated, unbreakable plastic concentrate jar; automatically mixes solution, water. Leakproof shut-off; aluminum and bronze nozzle, fittings.

2722L Dragon Garden Hose Sprayer. Ppd. **9.95**





## KILL JAP BEETLES!



Efficient and most widely used trap on the market. Well constructed, lasts for years. Lures beetles in from any direction—often catching up to a quart per day per trap! Place traps in full sun in infested areas by June 20th. Rust-resistant metal with green and yellow enamel finish. Perforated cage holds beetles until emptied—perforations prevent filling up with rain water.

2507 Trap. Postpaid. **1.65**  
2508 Cage. Postpaid. **80¢**  
2510 Bait. 4-oz. Postpaid. **65¢**

## SEQUESTRENE IRON CHELATE

To end "Iron Chlorosis" or yellow in your plants, just apply Sequestrene to the soil or as a foliar spray. Application chart enclosed in each package. A simple, effective, economical means of correcting iron deficiency in your soil. Sequestrene, being water soluble, is readily available to plants and, when an iron deficiency exists, the results in color and growth are really remarkable!

For Acid and Alkaline Soils:

3077 4 oz. Sequestrene 330Fe. Ppd. **1.19**  
3078 1 lb. Sequestrene 330Fe. Ppd. **3.19**

## WONDER-BREL GIBBERELIC AEROSOL

Gibrel has produced some fantastic results — bigger, faster-growing plants, more blooms, larger leaves, out-of-season blooms, etc. What can it do in your garden? Frankly, we don't know, but, if you like to pioneer, you may make some startling discoveries—and have lots of fun!

3373 6 oz. Wonder-Brel Aerosol. Ppd. **1.25**  
3374 15 oz. Wonder-Brel Aerosol. Ppd. **1.98**

## KEEP RABBITS AND DEER OUT OF YOUR GARDEN!



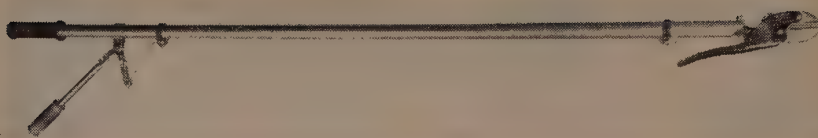
Effective, long-lasting repellent prevents feeding damage by deer and rabbits! Vegetation coated with Z.I.P. is distasteful to them, but does not harm them. Recommended for nursery stock, tree seedlings, ornamentals, orchard trees, bush fruits during dormant or growing season. Do not use on leafy vegetables or greens. Mix with water, spray or paint on. Highly resistant to rainfall. 1 quart can.

3106 Z.I.P. Ppd. **3.75**

## SPRAY TREE TANGLEFOOT FOR CRAWLING INSECTS!

Now, pushbutton control of crawling pests! No more sticky brushes or paddles! Tanglefoot aerosol sprays a weatherproof barrier around trees, etc. Stops crawling insects any time! 12-oz. aerosol can. Ppd.

3109 Tanglefoot. **2.25**



## PRUNEESY COMBINATION PRUNER

### Special Import from England

Finest-quality **double-duty** pruner for all pruning chores! Famous 8-in. Pruneesy hand pruner with tempered and ground **Sheffield steel** blade cuts sapwood up to 7/8 in. Rustproof, nickel-plated steel handles and concealed leaf spring for lifetime use. Slip on the Hi-Reach Adaptor for hard-to-reach pruning. Lightweight, 4 1/2 ft. long, with rubber handle grips, it gives tremendous leverage . . . slices through branches as easily as cutting butter!

2587 Hi-Reach Adaptor Complete with Pruneesy Pruning Shear. Postpaid.

2588 Pruneesy Pruning Shears Only. Postpaid.

**9.95**  
**3.50**



## BRECK'S AEROSOL TREE WOUND HEALER

Easiest, cleanest to use! Just spray for complete protection and quick healing of cut branches, damaged areas. Contains **Allantoin** (growth stimulant and tissue healer). 12 oz. spray can.

2083 Tree Wound Healer. Postpaid.

**1.49**

## TRI-GEN ROSE SPRAY KITS

3121 Tri-ogen. Kit E. Makes 2 gals. for 6 to 10 Roses. Ppd. **2.00**

3122 Tri-ogen. Kit A. Makes 4 gals. for 12 to 20 Roses. Ppd. **2.75**

3123 Tri-ogen. Kit B. Makes 16 gals. for 50 to 80 Roses. Ppd. **6.50**

3124 Tri-ogen. Kit C.

Makes 32 gals. for 100 to 160 Roses. Ppd.

**10.50**

## NEW TRI-GEN LIQUID 3-IN-1 ROSE SPRAY

The famous Tri-Gen quality rose spray—now available as a complete, all-in-one protective liquid spray to prevent and control insect damage to roses—lets you apply insecticide, miticide and fungicide all at one time! A scientifically blended and balanced formula of amazing new chemicals specially designed for roses . . . gives guaranteed control of black spot, powdery mildew, spider mites and other insects injurious to roses! No pre-mixing required—just add to water and spray fungus, mites, insects away! 8-oz. makes 6 gallons of spray.

3127 8 oz. Tri-Gen Liquid 3-in-1 Rose Spray. Postpaid. **1.95**

3128 1 Pt. Tri-Gen Liquid 3-in-1 Rose Spray. Postpaid. **3.25**

3129 1 Qt. Tri-Gen Liquid 3-in-1 Rose Spray. Postpaid. **5.75**

## TRI-GEN LIQUID ROSE FOOD

All-in-one, balanced rose food diet adds vigorous new life to tired rose bushes! Helps them develop greater root systems, grow stronger, live longer . . . produce bigger, more beautiful, prize-winning blooms! Contains important trace elements often lacking in soils, plus chelates and surfactant X 155.

3401 1 Pint. Tri-Gen Liquid Rose Food. Postpaid. **1.25**

3402 1 Quart. Tri-Gen Liquid Rose Food. Postpaid. **2.25**

## DORMANT-SPRAY OIL

**Scalecide.** For scale, insects, eggs that live through winter on bark of trees, shrubs. Use 1 part to 33 parts water.

3042 Scalecide. 1 Pt. (Sh. wt. 1 lb.) **95¢**

3043 Scalecide. 1 Qt. (Sh. wt. 2 lbs.) **1.39**

3044 Scalecide. 1 Gal. (Sh. wt. 8 lbs.) **3.25**

## MOLOGEN KILLS MOLES!

Eliminates moles in lawns and gardens, and in their holes. Complete, easy-to-follow directions. Safe, easy to use.

3074 Mologen, 1/2 lb. Ppd. **.75**

3075 Mologen, 1 1/2 lbs. Ppd. **1.50**



## FLYING DISKS GUARD FRUIT FROM BIRDS!

Watchdog for your garden or orchard! The slightest breeze makes these harmless Flying Disks of shining aluminum foil spin madly, reflecting light and making crackling sounds to scare birds and animals away. Easily strung in garden or on trees. Set of 50. Postpaid.

2503 Flying Disks.

Set, **1.85**



Just Bury a Capsule!

## FUMI-SOIL CAPSULES

One capsule releases enough **Ethylene Dibromide** to fumigate 1 1/2 sq. ft., destroying all underground pests, such as nematodes, wire worms, ants, grubs and many larvae. Easy to use. Drop capsule into hole and cover with soil.

3027 24 Caps. Postpaid. **1.45**

3028 100 Caps. Ppd. **3.95**



## ROOST-NO-MORE Stops Pigeons From Parking!

Pesky birds, starlings, pigeons, etc. fly away and stay away when you apply Roost-No-More to the places they frequent! A 1/2-in. ribbon of this sticky gelatin compound spray-on window sills, ledges, cornices or other parking spots discourages them for a year or more. Harmless . . . easy-to-use aerosol spray, odorless, clings to metal, stone, or other building material. 14-oz. Postpaid.

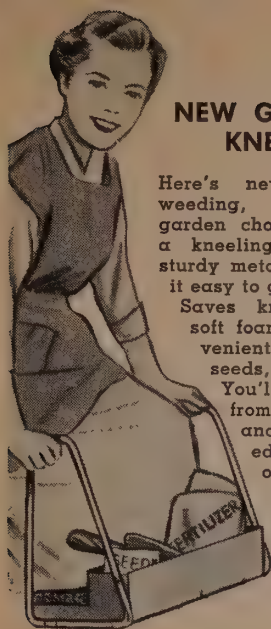
3053 Roost-No-More **2.50**

## FREE SEEDS

If you order before  
**APRIL 30!**

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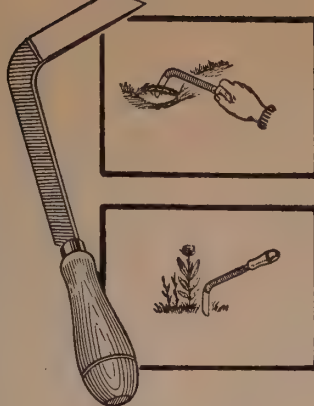




## NEW GARDENER'S KNEE REST

Here's new comfort for weeding, trimming, other garden chores that require a kneeling position! This sturdy metal support makes it easy to get up and down. Saves knees, too, with soft foam padding! Convenient trough holds seeds, tools, gloves. You'll suffer no more from stiff, hurt knees and leg joints caused by hard boards or ground! 8 lbs.

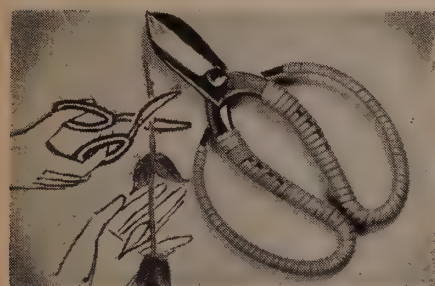
2675 Knee Rest .....7.95



## CAPE COD WEEDER

An ingenious tool originally used in the cranberry bogs of Cape Cod! 3-in-1 action . . . cuts, weeds, cultivates! Save you time and toting of extra tools. Rugged steel blade with contoured wooden handle.

3742 Weeder. Ppd. 1.00



## RATTAN FLOWER SHEARS

Hand-forged "snippers" of rugged high-carbon steel for lifetime use—with easy-on-hands rattan-wrapped, contoured handles! Ideal for light pruning, cutting flowers, trimming. Beautifully balanced . . . so comfortable to use! 6" long. Handsome leather sheath protects blades when not in use. Postpaid.

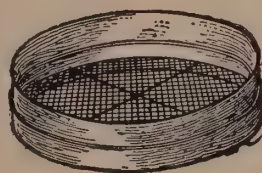
2873 Flower Shears. 1.95



## CAPE-SKIN GARDEN GLOVES

White washable leather gloves—supple and soft as velvet! So attractive, you'll wear them for driving and scores of outdoor tasks, too! Durably stitched, they'll last and last for years of use, protecting your hands prettily! Ladies sizes only. Postpaid.

2526 Small, size 6. 2.25  
2527 Med., size 7. 2.25  
2528 Large, size 8. 2.25



## HANDY SOIL SIEVE

This is the useful tool you need for patching the lawn, preparing potting soil, children's sand boxes . . . so many other uses! Sturdily made with 4" deep, heavy oak rim, 18" in diameter. Reinforced 1/4-in mesh, heavy galvanized wire screening. Durably made . . . will give you years of use!

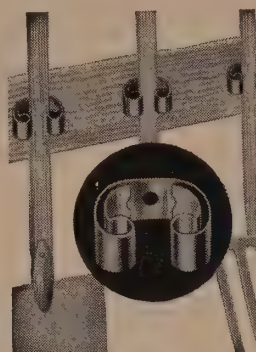
2513L Soil Sieve. 5 lbs. 4.95



## KNEE GUARDS

Work on your knees in comfort for hours with Neegards! Light sponge rubber cushions strap over and around each knee, stay put . . . allow ample freedom! Contour-shaped to fit knees . . . give thorough protection against hard, cold, damp ground. Adjustable straps. Postpaid.

2534 Neegards. Pair, 2.50



## GRIPPER CLIPS

Don't lay it on the floor! Use Gripper Clips! Neat little metal clips that hold onto handles of brooms, mops, garden tools, hammers, screwdrivers or trowels. For workbench, kitchen closet, or garage.

3701 Set of 12 Gripper Clips. Postpaid. 1.20



## SOFT TOUCH GLOVES

So comfy—stylish palm-flex gloves protect hands, yet retain sense of touch during gardening and household chores! Trimly tailored in classic slip-on style—super-soft, wipe clean! Men's in supple brown tone . . . women's in gay, assorted pastels. Special pattern fits most men, women. Ppd.

2518 Women's. 98¢  
2519 Men's. 1.19

See page 50 for Tree Wound Healer



## NEW LIGHTWEIGHT TRIM-'N-PRUNE CLIPPER

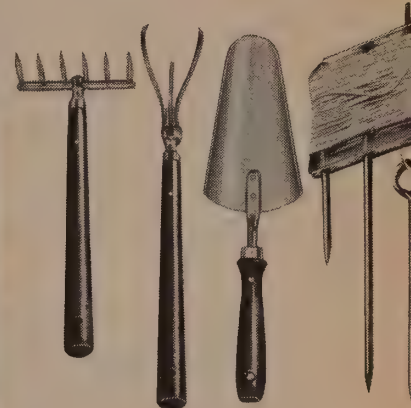
Designed for women, yet used by commercial nurserymen, growers because it's so easy to handle! Weighs less than 1 1/2 lbs.—lets you do a professional job quickly, easily, without strain! Works with sliding action, like a pump gun. 52 1/2 in. long—no stooping, stretching, scratches from thorny bushes. Hook and blade of high carbon steel.

2561L Clyde Clipper. Postpaid. 3.98

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## STAINLESS STEEL GARDEN TOOLS

The best you can buy! Lifetime quality, with imported rosewood handles. Won't rust, even if left in the rain! Rake has 6 teeth. Cultivator is tipped with 3 tines. Trowel measures a handy 6-in. Row Marker comes complete with 9-in. starting-point stake, plus reel stake with 60-ft. cord. Postpaid.

2797 Stainless Rake. 2.00  
2796 Cultivator. 2.00  
2795 Stainless Trowel. 2.00  
2798 Row Marker. 2.00 51

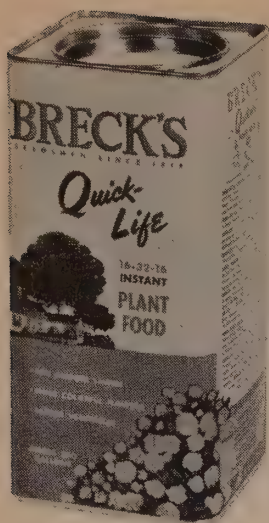


## GARD'N BOOTS

Prettier and more practical than sneakers . . . more protective, too! Gard'n Boots are made of tough, tree-grown latex with genuine so-lo-prene crepe soles. Comfortable, washable, dirtproof. Pull on over shoes or bare feet. Women's are green. Men's are black in universal size.

2730 Women's Size 4-6. Ppd. 2.98  
2731 Women's Size 6-8. Ppd. 2.98  
2732 Women's Size 8-10. Ppd. 2.98  
2733 Men's Size 8-11. Ppd. 4.95





2133 1½ lbs.  
(Sh. wt. 2 lbs.)

**1.95**

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(Sh. wt. 5½ lbs.)

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Economy Size.  
(Ex. Coll.)

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#### SPECIAL COMBINATION OFFER

To acquaint you with the benefits of Breck's Quick-Life! Offer includes:

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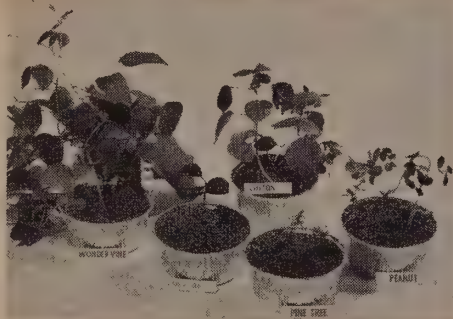
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## BRECK'S QUICK-LIFE

### THE INSTANT PLANT FOOD

For Quick — Safe — Easy — Economical Feeding

A regular feeding program—using Breck's Quick-Life—will show outstanding results in your garden! All plants require food, and Quick-Life is the safe, easy, economical way to supply their needs. A special wetting agent helps plants absorb food through leaves as well as roots. Soak plants in Quick-Life solution while transplanting. You'll be amazed to see them take hold and start to grow at once. Feed as you water, for instant action, and watch your garden and lawn grow more beautiful right under your eyes!



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PINE TREE      BEAN  
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- For Home, Classroom!
- Grows Quickly!
- Guaranteed Year Round!

The most fascinating works of nature—grown on your own window sill! Five attractive, round, brass-finished foil planters hold pine tree, citrus tree, cotton, bean and peanut seeds! Ideal for children . . . they'll need no coaxing to care for these delightful, exciting seedlings! Easily grown at any time of the year—hardy and husky—no

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**ALL FIVE  
FOR ONLY**  
ORDER GROUP  
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## THE ORIGINAL SURE SPROUT TRANSPLANT PLANTERS



- Just Add Water!
- Guaranteed To Grow!
- Save Time!
- Save Money!

Start your garden the easy way! Attractive aluminum planter fits on window sill—just add water and watch plants grow! Finest quality seeds preplanted in scientific growing material. Instructions.

- 2938 Ageratum—Blue Mink
- 2939 Alyssum—Carpet of Snow
- 2940 Alyssum—Royal Carpet
- 2941 Aster—American Beauty—Mixed
- 2942 Balsam—Dwarf—Mixed
- 2943 Carnation—Marguerite—Mixed
- 2944 Celosia—Forest Fire
- 2945 Coleus—Rainbow Mixture
- 2946 Dahlia—Unwins Dwarf—Mixed
- 2947 Fringed Pinks—Mixed
- 2948 Marigold—Dwarf—Double French
- 2949 Marigold—Mammoth Mum, Yellow
- 2950 Pansy—Swiss Giant—Mixed
- 2951 Petunia—Celestial Rose

- 2952 Petunia—Dwarf Hybrids—Mixed
- 2953 Petunia—Fire Chief
- 2954 Phlox—Twinkle—Dwarf Star
- 2955 Pincushion Flower—Mixed
- 2956 Portulaca—Dwarf Double Mixed
- 2957 Salvia—Bonfire
- 2958 Snapdragon—Rust Resis., Mixed
- 2959 Sweet William—Mixed
- 2960 Zinnia—Giant Dahlia—Mixed
- 2961 Zinnia—Dwarf Lilliput—Mixed
- 2962 Parsley—Triple Curled
- 2963 Pepper—California Wonder
- 2964 Tomato—Bonny Best
- 2965 Tomato—Rutgers

(minimum order 5 planters)

**ANY FIVE FOR ONLY**

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## JIFFY PLANTER FLOWER CARPET

Over 2,000  
Top-Quality  
Flower Seeds  
Imbedded  
In Protective  
Cellulose!



Enjoy armloads of cut flowers all summer long! Baby's Breath, Bachelor Buttons, Larkspur, Marigolds, Petunias, Snapdragons, Zinnias, etc. for continuous bloom! Top-quality flower seeds impregnated in a special cellulose mat. For your garden, beside walks, driveways, patio, front lawn, planter boxes. Merely loosen top soil, roll out mat, cover with a little soil, water regularly. Seeds sprout into healthy plants with thousands of blooms! Ppd.

- 2718 Mat, Cut Flowers, 15'x8". 98¢
- 2719 Mat, Cut Flowers, 33'x8". 1.98
- 2720 Mat, Dwarf (Borders) 15'x8". 98¢
- 2721 Mat, Dwarf (Borders) 33'x8". 1.98





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### PLANT BRECK'S CIRCULAR BED FOR A DRAMATIC DISPLAY

#### BRECK'S CANNA COLLECTIONS

Color-packed assortments of the 5 varieties of Giant Cannas listed below. Key their brilliant displays to your garden scheme, or use alone to produce gorgeous masses of spectacular color!

25 Bulbs (5 ea.  
of 5 below)  
Order Group  
No. 1110  
7.25 VALUE!

**6<sup>25</sup>**

10 Bulbs (2 ea.  
of 5 below)  
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No. 1109  
4.00 VALUE!

**3<sup>45</sup>**

#### GIANT CANNAS

**1114 King Humbert.** Brilliant orange-scarlet. Bronze foliage. 4 ft.

**1113 Hungaria.** Glowing rose-pink. Green foliage. 4 ft.

**1117 The President.** Striking scarlet. Green foliage. 4 ft.

**1115 King Midas.** Sun-bright yellow. Green foliage. 4 ft.

**1116 Shenandoah.** Luminous salmon pink. Bronze foliage. 4 ft.

3 for **1.00**; 10 for **2.90**  
25 for **6.90**; 100 for **25.00**



1002 Giant Hybrid Amaryllis

#### GIANT HYBRID AMARYLLIS

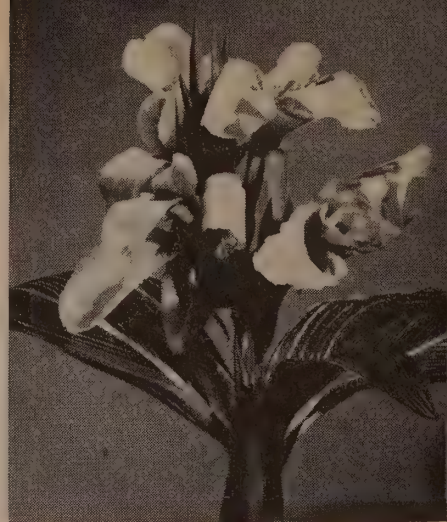
Bulbs Available Nov. to April

**1002** The most spectacular and easiest to grow of all house plants! Enormous lily-like blooms year after year with a minimum of care! Brilliant colors, from crimson, red, pink, to crimson markings on white grounds, will brighten a window garden for weeks! Pot in light soil mixture, using pot only slightly larger than the bulb. We cannot supply them in separate colors. **Mixed colors only.** (Illus.)

1.25 ea.; 3 for **3.65**; 10 for **11.70**



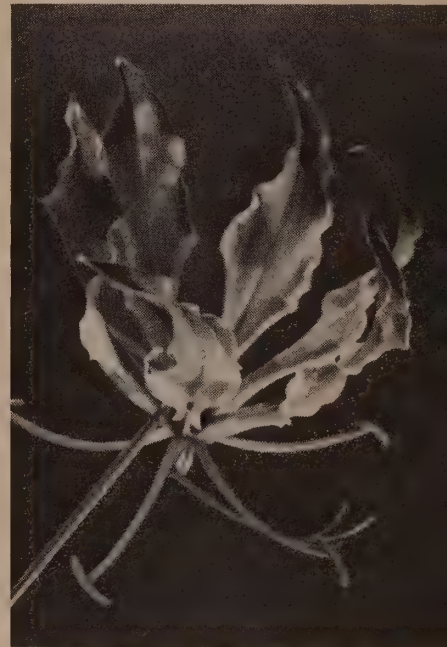
1008 Anemones, Single de Caen



1118 Canna, King of Siam

**1118 Canna, King of Siam.** 3½ ft. NEW for '61! Discovered in Siam (Thailand). The **only** Canna we have seen with striped foliage. Flowers are a soft yellow and foliage is green with distinct white stripes.

**1.00 each; 3 for 2.50**



#### 1348 Gloriosa Climbing Lily GLORIOSA CLIMBING LILY

**1348 Rothchildeana.** (Illustrated). Gorgeous, colorful Lilies from tropical Africa. Will climb to 3 ft. on a trellis or stake. Big 4-in. flowers are brilliant yellow and crimson with wavy petals, fantastically twisted and recurved. Long-lasting cut flowers and unique corsages! **Easy to grow;** plant outdoors when frost is past, in partly shaded spots.

**1.50 each; 3 for 4.00**

#### ANEMONES, Single de Caen

Bulbs Available Nov. to April

**1008** 1 ft. Long-stemmed, exotic, poppy-like single blooms of blue, purple, soft rose, vivid scarlet and snow-white. Blooms May or June. (Illus.)

10 for **1.00**; 25 for **2.35**;  
100 for **8.50**

#### BRECK'S 7-FT. CIRCULAR CANNA BED

**1108** 4 ft. You'll be thrilled with the bold, breathtakingly colorful effect when you plant this 7-ft. circular Canna Bed! Lush, tropical foliage topped with clusters of brilliant, rainbow-hued blooms will brighten an otherwise uninteresting corner. Nothing equals the glory of these handsome blooms for mass plantings! You get 12 King Humbert for the outside row, 6 King Midas for the next row and 2 The President for the center. 20 roots in all. Available March to May. **4<sup>95</sup>**

**6.00 VALUE!**

#### GIANT RANUNCULUS

Bulbs Available  
Nov. to April

**1361** 15 in. Huge double and semi-double 3-in. blooms in brilliant shades of yellow, red, orange, pink, white. Prefer sunny, well-drained location. Start indoors from Dec. to March, or plant in garden in March and April. (Illus.)

10 for **1.00**; 25 for **2.35**  
100 for **8.50**

#### MINIATURE AMARYLLIS

Bulbs Available  
Nov. to May

**Zephyranthes.** 10-12 in. Beautiful, long blooming, star-shaped flowers! Grow with little or no effort, bloom all summer. Soft colors add interest and charm to the summer garden. Perfect for patio boxes, tubs, house plants. (Illustrated)



1361 Giant Ranunculus



1369 Miniature Amaryllis

**1368** Rose. ....10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**  
**1370** Yellow. ....10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**  
**1369** White. (Candida) ....10 for **1.50**; 25 for **3.35**  
**1371** Mixed Colors. ....10 for **1.35**; 25 for **3.00**



# BRECK'S AMERICAN GROWN



1050 Sweetheart Rose

## SWEETHEART TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

(Illustrated in color, page 57)

Here's what you have been waiting for! Big, colorful, double flowers—5 in. and up—each with a perfectly formed sweetheart rose-bud in the center. Four colors only for 1961—but what colors—rich and glowing, with a velvety texture that defies description! They enjoy shade, of course. Try your favorite color—or better still, try all four in our money-saving collection offer. Top-size American-grown bulbs.

1049 Red Velvet

1047 Daffodil Yellow

1050 Sweetheart Rose

1048 Frost White

1051 Mixed Colors

3 for 1.50; 10 for 4.60

### SWEETHEART COLLECTION

Save money with this colorful collection! All top-size bulbs, 3 each 4 colors listed, each bag labeled with name of variety.

Order Group  
No. 1010

12 bulbs,

**4.95**

6.00 VALUE!

Save 1.05

**FREE  
SEEDS!**

If you order before  
**APRIL 30!**  
(See page 29)



1058 Red Triumph

**1058 Red Triumph.** The largest Red Begonia we have seen! Fully double, perfectly formed flowers are beautifully ruffled and have the texture of finest velvet in a lively ruby-red color. (Illus.)

1.00 each; 3 for 2.85; 10 for 8.70

**1043 Picotee.** (Illus. in color, p. 57) The peak of perfection in hybrid Begonias! All the elegance of form and texture of the Camellia-flowered types, and each petal is beautifully bordered with richly contrasting, yet harmonious colors! Crisp, light pastel backgrounds are highlighted with salmon, rose, flame and coral.

60¢ ea.; 3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00

**1052 Daffodil Flowered.** (Illus. in color, p. 57) Experts consider this the most unusual flower form of all the Tuberous Begonias! A graceful, 3-in. trumpet, backed by 2 huge petals resembling the perianth of a Daffodil, give this unique flower its name. Soft pastel shades—snowy white to almost red.

75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.50

### "Breck's Complete Guide To TUBEROUS BEGONIAS"

by Worth Brown

Written for amateur and specialist alike by the world's leading commercial grower of Tuberous Begonias! 128 pages, featuring the "how to" of planting, development, plus a clear explanation of classification! Postpaid.

1901 Tuberous Begonias. 3.50

Here is what one of our customers wrote: "The begonias I received from you last year were the most beautiful I have ever seen. Such large full flowers and the colors were gorgeous. Our house faces the north and is right on the lake, so I

of years of scientific hybridizing—are years ahead of all others! Breck's is famous for truly top-quality, top-size hand-picked Begonias! There are none better!



1057 Frosty

**1057 Frosty.** NEW for '61! Huge frilled and ruffled, deep-rose flowers, each petal lightly tipped with pure white. The effect is that of a lovely rose-colored Carnation with frost-tipped petals. Float the flowers in a shallow bowl for a unique table decoration. (Illustrated)

1.00 each; 3 for 2.85; 10 for 8.70

## BRECK'S BEGONIA STARTER SETS

Includes 3 Begonia Tubers—  
Fiber Planter — Peat Moss

Such convenience—and what a timesaver for starting Begonias early indoors! You get 3 Begonia tubers in a color you select . . . already **pre-planted** in peat moss . . . in a handy fiber planter! Less growth setback when transferred to your garden . . . and our kits make color grouping a cinch! Planter is 8 1/4 x 6 3/4 x 2 5/8 in., takes little space on your windowsill or porch shelf.

1015 Dawn Rose. Set of 3.

1016 Royal Scarlet. Set of 3.

1017 Sunshine Yellow. Set of 3.

1018 Mixed Colors. Set of 3.

3 sets (9 Tubers), 3.95

**1.50**  
Complete,  
Postpaid



planted them where they don't get much sun and the results were beyond my expectations. It is most gratifying to find such beautiful flowers that will grow in shady places."

Mrs. K. R., Ashland, Wisconsin



# TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

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2522 California Hanging Basket

## California-Styled Hanging Garden Basket

Lovely as a Western sunset, this attractive basket displays hanging plants to their best advantage! Cleverly designed of 1/2" wide wooden slats, joined with rustproof copper wire. Weather-resistant redwood oil finish and gleaming brass chains blend beautifully with any setting indoors or out! 7 1/2" deep, 13" long . . . holds two 6-in. pots or 10x6-in. planter. Folds flat for easy storing out-of-season.

2522 Cal. Hanging Basket. 2 lbs. 2.75

## BRECK'S Color-Drama of Cascade (Hanging Basket) Begonias

(Illustrated in color on page 57.)

Create your own cascade of color with Breck's RAINBOW SHOWER MIXTURE, highlighting it with PINK SHOWER! Hundreds of Camellia-flowered blooms in clear, radiant colors stand out against the lustrous, dark green foliage. They grow as large as 2 in. on trailing 18-24 in. stems! A marvelous cover for indoor or outdoor walls . . . dramatize porch, patio or sunroom! Use in hanging baskets (see above), suspended pot-planters, or pots on shelves to allow for graceful trailing.

1045 Pink Shower. 75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00

1046 Rainbow Shower Mixture. 60¢ ea.; 3 for 1.65

## HOW TO GROW BEGONIAS

For early blooms, start indoors in soil or dampened peat moss in February or March. Begonias may be grown in boxes or flats, but the Fiber Pots or the Begonia Starter Sets (see p. 54) are ideal.

Just set the tubers into the soil or peat moss, water side up, and covered not over 1/2-in. Water sparingly until they sprout, increasing the amount as leaves appear. Choose a window or porch with good light, temperature from 60 to 70 degrees.

After a few weeks, plants will have extensive root systems and may be transplanted into 8-in. pots (p. 7). Set outdoors after all danger of frost is past. Choose a shady spot sheltered from strong winds.

## FAVORITE COLORS COLLECTION

One each of the seven lovely colors described below.

**Glowing Apricot, Antique Ivory, Dawn Rose, Coral Salmon, Royal Scarlet, Sunshine Yellow and Alabaster White.** These bulbs demand less care than many other popular plants! Bulbs keep for years.

Order No. 1020

3.00 VALUE! 7 bulbs,

**250**  
Ppd.

Save even more on 3 collections! 3 ea. of 7 colors. All separately labeled.

Order No. 1021

9.00 VALUE! 21 bulbs,

**735**  
Ppd.

## GIVE BEGONIAS A HEAD START IN BRECK'S FIBER POTS



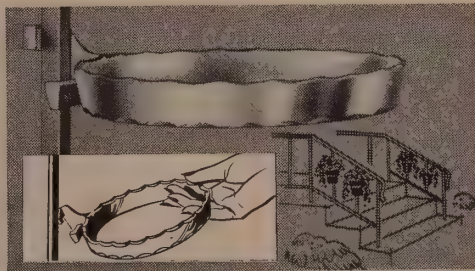
12 for 75¢  
25 for 1.50

It's so easy to have brilliant Tuberous Begonias in bloom from early summer on! Simply start them indoors in February or March in Breck's Fiber Pots! Our 5-in. pots are especially treated with fertilizer that nourishes the plants until they go into the garden. So easy to set out when spring arrives—no setback from root disturbance. Remember! Each bulb requires its own pot, so be sure to order enough for all your bulbs!

2735 Fiber Pots. ( 5-in. diameter).

12 (1 1/2 lbs.) 75¢

25 (2 1/2 lbs.) 1.50



## FLOWER POT HOLDER-RINGS

Hang flower pots on any 1/2-in. vertical rod with these aluminum rings. No nails needed unless wall bracket is used. Attractive on stair rails, trellises, etc.

2862 4" Ring. Ppd. 89¢

2863 5" Ring. Ppd. 1.19

2864 6" Ring. Ppd. 1.29

2865 Wall Bracket. Ppd. 69¢



BALLERINA ▲

## CAMELLIA-FLOWERED BEGONIAS

Exhibition-size bulbs producing enormous blooms! You can't beat these for week after week display of magnificent color and perfection of form! They produce **MORE** flowers, and over a **LONGER PERIOD**, than any other bulbs! A complete range of red, yellow, rose, white, salmon, apricot and ivory shades. They are the easiest bulbs to grow . . . and they actually prefer the shade! Giant blooms up to 5-in. across—we have seen them even larger!

1027 Glowing Apricot.

1028 Antique Ivory. Mellow as old ivory.

1031 Dawn Rose. Deep glowing pink.

1030 Coral Salmon. Radiant color.

1032 Royal Scarlet. Rich, vibrant red.

1033 Sunshine Yellow. Gay and sunny.

1029 Alabaster White. Snow-white.

1034 Sunshine Mixture. A gorgeous blend of all colors listed above, plus a few additional tones and shades not listed.

3 for 1.25; 10 for 3.85; 25 for 8.75

## ATLAS FISH EMULSION FERTILIZER

For More & Bigger Flowers, Brighter Colors!

Begonia lovers everywhere are discovering the remarkable results obtainable from using Atlas Fish Fertilizer. Tuberous Begonias are heavy feeders, and a weekly application of this organic plant food—with 22 trace elements—will supply the necessary nutrients to keep them at the peak of perfection. 1 tablespoon makes 1 gallon. Postpaid.

3356 Fish Emulsion, 1 P int. 1.50

3357 Fish Emulsion, 1 Qt. 2.75



### Gorgeous New

## PACIFIC HYBRID BEGONIAS

The following outstanding selection of named varieties is, without question, the very finest that money can buy! Raised on the Pacific Coast by the country's leading authority on tuberous rooted Begonias — Mr. Worth A. Brown — they combine hybrid vigor with exquisite colors, perfection of form and profusion of bloom . . . and are superior, by far, to any other Begonias! All hand-selected, top-quality bulbs!

- 1036 *Santa Ana*. Huge, glowing orange.  
 1037 *Santa Barbara*. Entrancing soft yellow.  
 1038 *Santa Catalina*. Fluorescent scarlet.  
 1039 *Santa Clara*. Clean, clear apricot.  
 1040 *Santa Margarita*. Large, luscious pink.  
 1041 *Santa Maria*. Pure sparkling white.  
 1042 *Santa Monica*. Beautiful light salmon. (Illus. in color, p. 57.)

3 for 2.90  
 10 for 8.70  
 25 for 19.75

**1<sup>00</sup>**  
 EACH

### Super Value!

## PACIFIC HYBRID BEGONIA GARDEN

Don't miss this fantastically lovely Hybrid Begonia Garden of Breck's-approved beauties! Imagine! You get all seven of the above-mentioned outstanding Pacific Hybrids . . . the largest, most beautiful Begonias in the world . . . and **save money, too!** These are truly gor-

geous flowers! You'll gasp at their breathtakingly lovely clear, true colors! The Begonia Garden includes 7 bulbs, one each of the 7 "Santas" listed above!

Order Group **7.00 VALUE!**  
 No. 1011 You save 1.50

**5<sup>50</sup>**

### Breck's Favorite

## DELUXE BEGONIA COLLECTION

The Seven Varieties Illustrated in Color on Page 57.

A colorful, money-saving group! One each of 7 exquisite, shade-loving Begonias, separately labeled — unique **Daffodil**, two-tone **Picotee**, **Cascade Hanging Basket Pink Shower**, plus **rose, red, yellow and white Sweetheart** type!

Order early . . . we may have to substitute other varieties on late orders.

Order Group **SAVE 60¢**  
 No. 1019 All 7 bulbs,

**3<sup>50</sup>**

### For Discerning Gardeners

## CONNOISSEURS' COLLECTION

Our popular Blue-Ribbon collection—originally offered by Breck's at the request of experienced gardeners, and now much sought-after by all! You get two each of these superior new varieties . . . **Daffodil, Picotee, Red Triumph** and

**Frosty**, plus one sensational new **Santa Monica**. Each variety separately bagged and labeled. 9 bulbs in all.

Order Group **7.70 VALUE!**  
 No. 1014 Save 1.25!

**5<sup>95</sup>**

### Bedding-Size Begonias

1035 Giant, ruffled Camellia-flowered Begonias — a special economy size that lets you use even more for mass effects! Plump, American-grown bulbs in a hand-picked mixture that produces giant, colorful flowers! Unbelievably **low priced!**  
 5 for 1.00; 10 for 1.85; 25 for 4.25;  
 100 for 15.50

### Complete Begonia Garden

1012 A pageant of glorious color from June to frost! Giant Camellia-Flowered Begonias produce huge, spectacular blooms on 18-in. plants. Border with multifloras.

10 Bedding Size Begonias  
 10 Multiflora Begonias  
**5.20 VALUE** 20 Bulbs,

**4<sup>50</sup>**

## BRECK'S MULTIFLORAS . . . BABY BEGONIAS

A European favorite now popular in America, too! Dainty flowers cover 10-in high plants all summer long! Decorative leaves. Will grow in sun.

1053 *Flamboyant* (Fireflame). Thousands of rich scarlet blooms with gold centers.

1054 *Frau Helen Harms*. Clear yellow. Makes a merry, dancing pot o' gold.

1055 *Mme. Richard Galle*. Like Frau Helen Harms with luminous orange-salmon and apricot flowers!

3 for 1.20; 10 for 3.65; 25 for 8.25; 100 for 30.00

1056 *Hand-Picked Mixture of Multifloras*. A galaxy of color. 10 for 3.35; 25 for 7.65; 100 for 27.85

## RADIANT BEGONIAS BRIGHTEN DULL CORNERS

### DAFFODIL BEGONIAS

1052 The most unusual flower form of all tuberous Begonias! A graceful 3-in. trumpet, backed by two huge petals like a Daffodil's perianth, gives its name! Soft pastels.

75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.50

### CASCADE HANGING BASKET PINK SHOWER BEGONIA

1045 Like a floral waterfall! Hundreds of dainty, Camellia-flowered blooms in clear, radiant pink burst from EACH BULB! They grow as large as 2 in. across, on trailing 18-24 in. stems! A grand cover for indoor or outdoor walls or for hanging pots!

75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.50

### NOTE: CORRECTION

Deluxe Begonia  
 Collection  
 (No. 1019) is . . . **3<sup>50</sup>**

### PICOTEE BEGONIA

1043 The peak of perfection in new hybrid Begonias! All the exquisite form and texture of regular Camellia-flowered types, plus the vigor of hybrids. Clear, light pastel colors, irregularly edged with salmon, rose, flame or coral.

60¢ ea.; 3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00

### SWEETHEART ROSE-BUD TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

This newest Begonia is the most glamorous we have seen! BIG, colorful, fully-double flowers, at least 5 in. across—each with a perfectly-formed sweetheart rose-bud in the center. Rich glowing colors with a velvety texture that defies description! This is a distinct new type which is not available everywhere . . . so order early and avoid disappointment! Finest American-grown bulbs, of course.

1049 Red Velvet

1047 Daffodil Yellow

1050 Sweetheart Rose

1048 Frost White

1051 Mixed Colors

3 for 1.50; 10 for 4.60





1052  
Daffodil Begonia  
Ea. 75c; 3 for 2.00;  
10 for 6.50  
See p. 54

Hanging Basket Begonia 1045 Pink  
Shower, p. 55.  
Ea. 75c; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.50  
1046 Rainbow Shower Mixture  
Ea., 60c; 3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00

## Exotic

### BEGONIA COLLECTION

1 ea. of the following, separately  
labeled: Daffodil, Pink Shower,  
Picotee, Frosty. (See pp. 54-55)

Order No. 1013  
3.10 VALUE!  
4 Bulbs.

**2<sup>65</sup>**

SAVE MONEY!

## BRECK'S Deluxe Begonia COLLECTION

One each of the 7 shade-loving  
Begonias shown on this page. All  
separately labeled! A fantasy of  
forms . . . unique Daffodil, two-tone  
Picotee, exciting Cascade Hanging  
Basket Pink Shower, plus Sweetheart  
Red Velvet, Daffodil Yellow, Rose,  
Frost White. A fine value and a gor-  
geous display of glowing colors to  
brighten your garden!

ORDER GROUP  
NO. 1019

**4<sup>50</sup>**

4.10 VALUE! Save 60c  
7 Bulbs.

## SWEETHEART Begonias

Big, colorful, over 5" across, **3 for**  
with a Sweetheart rosebud **1<sup>50</sup>**  
in the center!

Complete description page 54

### Money-Saving COLLECTION

3 each of 4 colors illustrated  
(separately labeled)

Order Group No. 1010

6.00 Value — you save 1.05

**4<sup>95</sup> for**  
**12**

1047 Daffodil Yellow

1048 Frost White

1049 Red Velvet

1050 Sweetheart Rose





## Peacock Orchid

A beautiful addition to garden or bouquet. Fragrant. See p. 63

1001 10 for **1.25** 25 for 2.80  
100 for 10.25

## Gloxinia Garden

Gorgeous big, bell-shaped flowers in rich, vibrant colors with the texture of finest velvet! Easy-to-grow Gloxinias brighten your porch, patio or sun room all summer long. You'll be the envy of your friends! 1 bulb each of the 5 varieties illustrated. See page 65.

ORDER NO. 1309  
3.25 VALUE!  
5 Bulbs

**2.75**



### 1365 Tuberoses, Double Pearl.

See p. 60  
10 for 1.75;  
25 for 4.00;  
100 for 14.65



### 1252 — Fairy Miniatures

Mixed Colors

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90  
See p. 62.

1205  
Salman  
Sensation  
10 for 1.30;  
25 for 2.90  
See p. 61

### 1186 Green Ice

Soft, delicate greenish cream shading to an icy-green center. Still the best green at anywhere near this price See p. 61.  
Ea. 35c; 3 for 1.00;  
10 for 3.25

1208  
Spic and  
Span  
10 for 1.30;  
25 for 2.90  
See p. 60

### 1224 White Friendship

10 for 1.40;  
25 for 3.16  
See p. 60

### 1188 Harrisburger

10 for 1.30;  
25 for 2.90  
See p. 60

1196  
Prospector  
10 for 1.30;  
25 for 2.90  
See p. 60



## Save with **Champion** GLADIOLUS COLLECTION

5 each of 5 varieties illustrated — separately labelled. 25 bulbs in all.

Breck's experts have chosen for you — from hundreds of varieties — the finest and largest in the five best colors. These are tried and proven varieties — all prize-winners. You can't go wrong! All top-size bulbs, of course.

Order No. 1152  
3.50 VALUE!  
Save 75c on 25 bulbs

**2.75**

Save even more  
on two collections!  
50 bulbs for only 5.00



## ◀ ITEMS AT LEFT

### GLOXINIA GARDEN

Huge, velvety trumpets in clear, brilliant colors—scarlet, white and blue—on sturdy plants! Plant from mid-January to mid-March . . . they'll make your home glow with vibrant color for months!

1 bulb each of  
5 colors illustrated.

Order No. 1309

3.25 VALUE! 5 Bulbs, 2.75

### PEACOCK ORCHID

1001 A fragrant tropical beauty whose haunting scent will add enjoyment to your garden! A long-lasting cut flower, too! Plant in May!

10-1.25; 25-2.80; 100-10.25

### DOUBLE PEARL TUBEROSES

1365 Double blooms of purest white with wax-like petals. Their sweet, penetrating fragrance fills the garden! Sturdy 2 to 3 ft. spikes. Easy to grow.

10 for 1.75; 25 for 4.00

### FAIRY MIXTURE OF MINIATURE GLADS

1252 Dainty, butterfly-like flowers on strong, slender 3½-ft. stems. Flowers up to 3" across average 7 to 9 open on one stem. Complete range of all Glad colors with many new, exciting combinations! Superb in arrangements, corsages!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

### GREEN ICE GLAD

1186 An exciting new shade . . . cool as a mint julep! Up to 5-ft. tall. Easy to grow.

35¢ ea.; 3—1.00; 10—3.25

### CHAMPION GLAD COLL.

A gorgeous collection you'll be proud to grow. Champions all!

1208 Spic and Span. Tall, bright pink, ruffled.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

1224 White Friendship. Pure, glistening white, creamy throat.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15

1188 Harrisburger. Gorgeous shade of cherry red! One of the outstanding red varieties! Large, lightly ruffled florets.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

1196 Prospector. Another ruffled beauty in a clear yellow!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

1205 Salman's Sensation. Largest flowered blue. Clear, dark blue, tall stems.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90



Traveller  
Light Pink



Ace of Spades  
Black-Red



Venus  
Light Blue



Red Radiance  
Bright Red



Gold  
Golden Yellow

## BRECK'S

GUARANTEED TO FLOWER

## GLADIOLUS

See also  
pages  
60, 61, 62

### ▲ EXHIBITOR'S COLLECTION

All 5 illustrated above

New and different! We have chosen the best of the newer, prize-winning varieties for this exciting and colorful collection! They will give you an outstanding Glad garden and win prizes at local shows. 5 bulbs each variety, 25 bulbs in all. See detailed description on pages 60 and 61.

Order Group No. 1155 **2.95**  
4.30 VALUE!  
2 Collections  
(50 Bulbs!) 5.50

### CHAMPION COLLECTION

(Illustrated in color, p. 58.) Five of the world's finest Glads in a rainbow of colors! **Spic and Span, White Friendship, Harrisburger, Prospector, Salman's Sensation.** Every one a champion . . . they'll make your garden the talk of the town! 5 each of 5 varieties illustrated on page 58. 25 bulbs in all.

Order Group No. 1152 **2.75**  
3.60 VALUE!  
2 Collections  
(50 Bulbs!) 5.00

### EXHIBITOR'S & CHAMPION COMBINATION

Here you have the cream of the crop! Two outstanding collections of magnificent, colorful Glads—all top-size bulbs—in a combination that **saves you real money!** 5 each of the 10 varieties at left. 50 bulbs in all.

Order Group No. 1156 **4.75**  
7.90 VALUE!  
2 Combinations  
(100 Bulbs!) 9.00

## 50 Rainbow Glads

For Mass Planting

White	Yellow	Pink	Blue
Cream	Red	Salmon	
Rose	Lavender	Purple	

Fifty Glad bulbs in 10 separate varieties—**priced lower than many mixtures!** You'll be amazed at the beautiful effects you can have in your garden—the gorgeous bouquets you can cut—and you'll save money, too! Breck's experts have carefully selected a well-balanced collection of the best and most popular colors, all large-flowered and all TOP-SIZE BULBS! Each color is separately bagged and labelled with variety name.

Order Group No. 1157  
5 bulbs each of 10 varieties,  
2 Collections (100 Bulbs!) **8.50**

**4.50**

## BRECK'S TOP-NOTCH GLAD MIXTURE

Our own famous, hand-picked mixture of choice giant varieties—truly the finest assortment we've ever assembled! Each and every one is a top-notch . . . with tall, stately spikes and magnificent, mammoth flowers! We've included a glorious array of lovely colors . . . carefully blended to give you a breathtaking rainbow in your garden and your home! For a long, delightful season of bloom, start some Glads every two weeks, beginning in mid-April.

Order Group  
No. 1219 **2.20**  
25 bulbs for  
10 for 1.00  
50 for 4.15  
100 for 8.00  
250 for 17.95





**Persian Rug**  
Smoky rose



**Lorelei**  
Cream-ivory



**Appleblossom**  
Pale pink



**Glacier**  
Pure white

# GLADIOLUS COLORAMA

Arranged By Color for Your Convenience

## WHITE

**1182 Florence Nightingale.** Waxy, snow-white, 5-in. florets on huge spikes.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1185 Glacier.** An exclusive Breck's introduction that will thrill you with its cool beauty and perfect form! Heavily ruffled, pure white with a hint of cream in the throat, opens 8 to 10 perfectly placed flowers on tall, straight spikes. (Illus.)

Ea., 35¢; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 3.25; 25 for 7.50

**1224 White Friendship.** A new, glistening, pure white Glad with a light creamy throat. 6 to 8 large ruffled florets open at one time. Blooms early with Friendship, the popular pink variety.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1215 White Sails.** Gorgeously ruffled, white as a cloud with slight fuchsia-pink feathering at throat. A tremendous flower head—up to 24 buds, with up to 12 open at once!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## WHITE WITH THROAT BLOTCH

**1207 Sparkling Eyes.** Purest snowy-white enhanced by gay violet-blue blotches on lower petals. 7 to 9 big, 5-in. flowers open at one time on 4½-ft. stems. Unusual!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## YELLOW

**1184 Gold.** (Ruffled). (Illus. p. 59). Tall and stately. Pure golden color. Easy to grow, dependable, holds golden color to the last bud.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1196 Prospector.** (Illus., in color, p. 58.) Clear, sunny yellow with a buttercup-yellow lip. Brings sunshine to garden or home with big, ruffled blooms! 6-8 at once.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**\*1206 Sparkler.** (Pat. applied for.) Graceful, gay and unusual . . . the result of a skillful color blending! Clear yellow, shading deeper as it surrounds bright red lips. Florets are ruffled, with fluted petal tips. Opens 8 or more magnificent florets at a time on an 18-bud spike.

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

## SMOKY VARIETIES — GROWING MORE POPULAR EVERY YEAR!

**1177 Copper Lustre.** A most intriguing combination of colors—dusky deep rose, with copper shades on the edge, dark tan center and rich red throat.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1193 Persian Rug.** A smooth blend of muted plum and luscious rose with cream throat makes this beauty as strikingly exotic as the fabled "magic carpets"!

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1198 Prunella.** Distinctive plum colored Smoky with a large cream throat. Strong

massive grower with 6" flowers . . . 6-8 open at once! Strikingly beautiful!

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1201 Robinson Crusoe.** Light mocha-tan, with marbling effect of old rose. Most unusual for all uses . . . 4-ft. spikes.

10 for 1.45; 25 for 3.30; 50 for 6.35

**\*1204 Rusty.** (Pat. No. 1781). Dark, smoky red with a bright red blotch on lower petals. Each petal edged with silvery white. Tall, strong stems open 8 flowers at once. Unique!

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1220 Mixed Smoky Varieties.** A mixture of the unusual and popular Glads; all colors, types!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## SMOKY COLLECTION

5 bulbs ea. of **Copper Lustre**, **Persian Rug**, **Prunella**, **Robinson Crusoe**. Separately labeled. 20 bulbs.

Order Group

No. 1154

3.05 VALUE!

2 Collections, 4.75

**250**

## CREAM

**\*1190 Landmark.** A real eye-stopper! Huge, tall cream with a soft luminous texture! Formally placed, lovely ruffled flowers with 10-14 of the 22 buds open at once! Extremely symmetrical spikes. A Glad of unusual stamina!

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1191 Lorelei.** Heavily-ruffled, velvety-textured, creamy-ivory flowers . . . 6 to 8 flowers on towering 5-ft. spikes. (Illus.)

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## ORANGE

**1200 Regina.** Rich amber-orange with delicate red throat markings. Best in its color! 7 to 8 huge 6-in. florets open at once on 4-ft. spikes. Daintily ruffled.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## SALMON

**1194 Picardy.** Heavenly salmon pink florets are breathtaking!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1209 Starfire.** Spectacular salmon with a rich cream throat splashed with bright red. 6-9 large flowers open at once on husky 4 ft. stems.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

## PINK

**1170 Appleblossom.** (Illus.) (Plant Pat. No. 1517.) Charming snow-white rimmed in pale pink with creamy throat. 5" flowers . . . 8-9 open at once on graceful 5-ft. spikes.

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1178 Coronation.** Radiant clear pink with a small cream throat. Opens 6-8 large, nicely waved 4" flowers! Strong healthy growth; excellent for cutting.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1183 Friendship.** Pinkest of the Glads . . . with frosty freshness, beauty of form. Very early blooming . . . lacy ruffling.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1208 Spic and Span.** (Illus. in color, p. 58). Large, true-pink ruffled flowers. This has won more blue ribbons than any other Glad! Tall spike; remarkable cut flower.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1210 Target.** Beautiful blush pink with a cream throat prominently marked with red. Up to 9 5¼" flowers open on tall husky spikes.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1212 Traveller.** (Illus., p. 50). Lustrous light pink with a rosy throat. Majestic, 4-ft. spikes open 10-12 frilled 5-in. florets on a grand spike—with many more in bud!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50



## ROSE

**1171 Burma.** Rich, velvety, deep rose. An old favorite that still heads the list of deeply ruffled and fluted Glads.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**\*1189 Joyous.** (Pat. Applied For.) Big, rich, velvety, deep-rose ruffled flowers on 4½ to 5 ft. stems. As many as 8 or more open at once on a formal 20-bud spike.

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1216 Wild Rose.** (Illus.). Sparkling clear rose with a snowy-white throat. 7-8 well placed flowers open on straight, tall spikes. A fine cut flower!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

## RED

**1174 Carnival.** Bright scarlet-red with a large snowy-white throat. 4 ft. spike.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1188 Harrisburger.** (Illus. in color, p. 58).

Outstanding cherry-red variety. Sturdy plant produces many 5½-in ruffled flowers on tall spikes.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**\*1187 Gypsy Dancer.** NEW for '61! All-America! Gracefully ruffled petals of vivid scarlet-orange with a sunburst of yellow on the lower petals. A fresh, vibrant color, symbolizing the gay, lively gypsy in a carefree, dancing mood! Straight, strong stems . . . wonderful for bouquets. 35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1199 Red Charm.** An old favorite . . . but still one of the best! Deep red, glossy florets open 8 to 10 at a time.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1203 Red Radiance.** (Illus., p. 59.) Glowing as a traffic light! Tall, vigorous spikes opening 7 to 9 huge, 5-in. flowers at once in a sensational, brilliant red.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**\*1202 Royal Stewart.** (Plant Pat. No. 1339) (Illus.). Brightest of the red Glads—gay as the Stewart tartan! A clear, brilliant scarlet. Up to 12 blooms open at one time on 5-ft. spikes. Lightly ruffled 5-in. florets. 35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

## BLACK RED

**1169 Ace of Spades.** (Illus., p. 59.) Truly remarkable! The blackest of the black-red varieties! Blooms are large, triangular shaped, with a glistening sheen. 5 to 6 florets open at once on the long, sturdy spikes. 10 for 1.50; 25 for 3.35; 50 for 6.40

## LAVENDER

**1172 Campanile.** Truest, clear-blue lavender with a small white throat! Stately 5-ft. spikes open 8-10 slightly ruffled and recurved 5" florets at once on long, 22-bud flowerheads!

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1179 Elizabeth the Queen.** Queen of the lavender patch! Exquisite clear shade with dark lines at the throat.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1181 Falcon.** Soft, rosy, orchid-lavender with rose peppering on a cream throat. Charming recurved florets are fluted and needlepointed . . . resemble huge orchids!

10 for 1.50; 25 for 3.35; 50 for 6.40

**1195 Princess.** (Illus. in color, p. 58.) Early medium lavender, with a small feather in the throat—a dainty, regal attention-getter! 11 florets on stately spikes.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1213 Tyrone.** Tall orchid lavender with a small white throat. Easy to grow . . . each tall, straight spike has wide-open flowers. 10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95



Wild Rose  
Clear rose



Royal Stewart  
Scarlet



China Blue  
Light blue



Purple Burma  
Deep purple

## BLUE and PURPLE

**\*1173 Caribbean.** (Plant Pat. No. 1654.) All America! Blue-violet petals, a deep violet throat with a small cream spear . . . make a distinctive new combination! Vigorous grower—opens 9 to 11 flowers. The first truly ruffled blue Glad!

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**\*1180 Emperor.** (Plant Patent No. 1655.) Truly majestic! Exquisite royal purple flowers enhanced by white markings! 7 to 8 round, recurved flowers open at one time on straight 5-ft. spikes.

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1192 Majolica.** NEW! Gorgeous light porcelain blue with deep violet throat markings. A fine grower with big 5¼" florets. 6-8 open at once on 4½-ft. spikes! Very healthy!

3 for 75¢; 10 for 2.00; 25 for 4.55

**1197 Purple Burma.** (Illus.). A kingly flower, robed in rich, deep purple with velvety texture. As many as 10 ruffled flowers open at once on long, strong spikes! 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1205 Salman's Sensation.** (Illus. in color, p. 58). Largest flowered of the "blues"! Clear dark-blue flowers open on long 5½-6 ft. stems.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**\*1176 China Blue.** NEW for '61! All-America! Largest "blue" to date, with full 20 bud spikes. Beautiful soft, blue-violet color—with violet markings—looks fragile as a piece of rare china, but plants are very strong and sturdy. Opens 6 to 8 blooms at once. (Illustrated.)

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1211 The Rajah.** Rich, true pansy-purple with a lustrous sheen makes the Rajah supreme ruler of the purple Glads! Beautifully ruffled flowers on tall, strong spikes . . . excellent for cutting.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1214 Venus.** (Illus., p. 59.) NEW! Clear light blue with a touch of red in the throat. Tall straight spikes with 7-8 4½" flowers open at once!

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

## LIGHT GREEN

**1175 Chartreuse.** Well named! Beautifully ruffled chartreuse flowers . . . 6-8 open at once on straight strong stems.

10 for 1.50; 25 for 3.35; 50 for 6.40

**1186 Green Ice.** (Illus. in color, p. 58.) Sensational new shade—the best of the greens! Clear, greenish-cream, shading darker towards an icy green center. Up to 5-ft. 35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 3.25

## 1218 RUFFLED MIXTURE

Every variety ruffled . . . every flower a masterpiece, in colors that rival the rainbow! Plant generously for gorgeous summer bouquets and garden enjoyment.

10 for 1.25; 25 for 2.80 50 for 5.40

## GIANT RUFFLED COLLECTION

To make it easy for you to enjoy the finest of these beauties, Breck's has chosen 10 outstanding varieties and packaged them for your convenience. Complete range of colors, separately labeled—bargain priced!

3 each:

White Sails, Burma, Harrisburger, Purple Burma, Chartreuse, Princess, Copper Lustre, Lorelei, Prospector, Friendship.

Order Group No. 1150  
4.60 VALUE!

30 bulbs for

**3.25**

**FREE  
SEEDS!**

If you order before  
**APRIL 30!**  
(See page 29)



## MINIATURE GLADIOLUS

These dainty flowers, on straight, strong stems, are the jewels of the Gladiolus family. Their size—barely 3 in. across—and grace have made them extremely popular for flower arrangements, corsages, etc. They bloom earlier than the large varieties . . . extending the Gladiolus season.

**1239 Aria.** Dainty, deep rosy-pink with contrasting creamy throat. 8 flowers open at once on wiry 3½-ft. stems.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1240 Atom.** Clear vermilion with a gold edging is tops! Spikes are about 3½-ft., straight. Approx. 16 buds per stem.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1241 Bo Peep.** A miniature queen, of soft buff-pink with a yellow-cream throat. 8 ruffled florets open early on the 3½-ft. spikes. 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1242 Fifth Avenue.** Glistening, velvety dark red . . . sophisticated as Fifth Avenue itself! 6 to 8 wide open flowers.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1244 Lavender Petunia.** Clear, deep lavender flowers with large, icy-white throats. A striking and dramatic contrast!

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1243 Green Thumb.** NEW for '61! The first "green" miniature. Dainty green buds open to beautifully ruffled flowers of a soft greenish yellow. Tall, 16 bud spikes open 7 flowers at one time. Popular with flower arrangers because of its dainty form and delightful color.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1245 Little Egypt.** Exotic, deep-red tiny charmer with a large, dramatic black-red throat! 4 to 6 3-in. florets open at once on slender 3-ft. spikes.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1247 Little Pansy.** NEW! Light violet with velvety, deep-blue, Pansy-like markings. 30-32 in. high; 16-18 flowers.

35¢ ea.; 3 for 1.00; 10 for 2.90

**1248 Parma Violet.** Deep violet with fuschia pencilling on a white throat. 3" flowers with 5-8 open on 3-ft. spikes.

10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15; 50 for 5.95

**1249 Starlet.** Beautifully ruffled, snow-white flowers perched on wiry stems.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1250 Statuette.** Clear yellow with contrasting purple throat markings. Tiny flowers are heavily ruffled and carried on straight, 3½-ft. stems.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1251 Twinkles.** Striking new color . . . deep orange-pink, shading darker toward the red-lined throat! Opens 5 to 7 heavily ruffled florets atop 3½-ft. spikes.

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

**1252 Fairy Mixture.** (Illus. in color, p. 58) Dainty, elfin flowers that brighten your garden like a flight of butterflies!

10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90; 50 for 5.50

### MINIATURE GLAD COLLECTION

3 bulbs each of these 10 varieties:

<b>Aria</b>	<b>Little Egypt</b>
<b>Atom</b>	<b>Parma Violet</b>
<b>Bo Peep</b>	<b>Starlet</b>
<b>Fifth Avenue</b>	<b>Statuette</b>
<b>Green Thumb</b>	<b>Twinkles</b>

30 Bulbs in all! Separately labeled.

Order Group

No. 1151 4.65 VALUE!

**395**



## BUTTERFLY GLADS

(Illus. in color, front cover)

Butterfly Glads—colorful and graceful as a butterfly on the wing—are noted for their dainty flowers and unusual markings! Larger than the miniatures . . . smaller than standard varieties . . . many are beautifully ruffled and most have contrasting butterfly-shaped markings on the petals. Graceful stems make gorgeous arrangements!

**1225 Ares.** Soft pinkish cream, vivid markings on lower petals. Ruffled. 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

**1226 Attica.** Soft rosy pink shading to creamy throat. Ruffled. 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

**1227 Elf.** Orange-pink, lower petals yellow with red throat. Ruffled. 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

**1228 Gypsy Love.** Apricot-orange with a glowing scarlet "butterfly." Flowers well placed on tall straight stems. 10 for 1.40; 25 for 3.15

**1229 Melodie.** Beautiful clear soft rose with yellow lips. (Illus. in color, front cover) 10 for 1.30; 25 for 2.90

**1235 Mixed Colors.** 10 for 1.25; 25 for 2.80; 100 for 10.40

### BUTTERFLY COLLECTION

Don't miss this new, exciting offer! Five each of the five beautiful Butterfly Gladiolus listed at left—separately labeled!

Order Group

No. 1153

25 bulbs in all!

3.55 VALUE!

**275**

## ★ ALL-AMERICA COLLECTION

Every All-America Glad is a prizewinner! Breck's is proud to offer—at a special price—the seven outstanding colors, including the new 1961 introductions. See pages 60 and 61 for complete descriptions. All-America varieties are easily identified by this★.

**Appleblossom.** Snow-white, pale pink, ruffled edges.

**China Blue.** NEW for '61! Soft violet blue, ruffled.

**Gypsy Dancer.** NEW for '61! Ruffled scarlet-orange, yellow markings.

**1158** 1 each of above, separately labeled. 7 bulbs in all. **215**

**Joyous.** Ruffled deep rose.

**Royal Stewart.** Brilliant scarlet . . . ruffled.

**Rusty.** NEW for '61! Ruffled. Smoky red with bright red markings.

**Sparkler.** Ruffled yellow, marked with bright red.

**1159** 3 each of above, separately labeled. 21 bulbs in all. **595**

## GLADIOLUS HYBRIDIZER'S MIXTURE

NEW VARIETIES . . . NEW COLORS NEVER BEFORE OFFERED FOR SALE!

If you like **exclusive** new flowers, new colors in your garden—and what gardener doesn't relish the thought of being first with something new?—here's the opportunity of a lifetime!

These bulbs represent many years of work by leading hybridizers . . . men who are noted for the prizes their varieties have won at national shows. They are big, flowering-size bulbs ready to produce full sized spikes for you this year.

As these Glads grow and bud, you will watch your garden with mounting excitement, waiting for the first

flowers to open . . . waiting for the day when you can show your friends a **NEW** variety . . . one that they have never seen until now. You will hear their expressions of delight at the lovely new colors, new markings that you will be able to show them.

You, of course, may name\* any variety you like especially . . . save the bulblets as gifts for gardening friends . . . or keep them for your own exclusive use, harvesting more and more bulblets each year.

\*To be officially accepted, all new names must be registered with the North American Gladiolus Council.

**1236** Hybridizer's Mixture. 10 for 2.50; 25 for 5.65; 50 for 10.75



### HOLE-IN-ONE PLANTER

Why dig holes when Hole-In-One removes just the right amount of soil with one easy motion! Tapered 2-in. wide steel cup makes perfect size hole for bulbs or plants. Reduces planting time and work . . . gauges depth. Made of strong, durable steel; wooden handle. Postpaid.

**3740** Planter.

1.15

### SPERGON GLAD AND BULB DUST

Before planting Glads, protect them with **Spergon Glad & Bulb Dust** to stop thrips, control diseases! Place bulbs in a paper bag, shake gently to cover with dust. Repeat in fall to preserve over winter.

**3047** Spergon, 8 oz. Ppd. 1.75

**3048** Spergon, 1 lb. Ppd. 2.75





Colorful accents  
for your garden!

## FLAMINGO CALADIUMS

1. Caladiums will do well outdoors where summer daily temperatures average 70° or more. This includes most of the United States except the extreme northern section.
2. They are very much at home in deep shade . . . where little else will grow . . . providing masses of gorgeous color to brighten dark corners. They do well in semi-shade and also in full sunlight. When grown in full sun, they should not be allowed to become dry.
3. Bulbs may be started indoors as early as February 15 and transplanted outdoors when weather is settled warm. They do not like cold weather. Caladiums, of course, do well in pots or tubs used as patio decorations or in window boxes.
4. Bulbs planted directly into the garden when soil is warm (after Memorial Day in the latitude of Boston) will produce magnificent plants in less than a month!

Plant Caladiums generously—for colorful accents—to brighten shady corners! Foliage may be cut for arrangements. Plant them 'round your summer home (they require little or no care) and be the envy of your neighborhood!

Available February to May

**1090 Blaze.** Brilliant red on dark green.

**1092 Summer Snow.** (Illus. in color, p. 75.) Creamy white with dark green veining and edgings. Extremely effective at twilight!

**1091 Pink Seashell.** Delicate, light salmon pink edged with green. Large bulbs.

3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00; 25 for 11.40

**1094 Mixed Colors.** (Illus. in color, p. 75). A magnificent mixture of all the known colors in Caladiums—burgundy, white, pink, green. Large bulbs.

3 for 1.50; 10 for 4.50; 25 for 10.25

### BRECK'S NEW COLORFUL

#### ARROW-HEAD CALADIUMS

**1093** 1 ft. NEW! Dwarf, bushy plants with slender, wavy-edged, arrow-head leaves up to 9-in. long that distinguish them from regular Caladiums. Colorful red, green, white foliage. Use for edgings, borders or as pot plants for patio or window garden. Mixed colors only.

Each, 75¢

3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.25; 25 for 14.20

### CALADIUM COLLECTION

Three outstanding colors to use separately or blend together for a mass of breathtaking beauty! 1 each of the following bulbs:

Blaze Summer Snow Pink Seashell

Order Group  
No. 1085

3 Bulbs,  
1.65 VALUE!

**150**

### TIGRIDIAS (Illustrated)

Available March to May

**1363 Mexican Shell Flowers.** Brilliantly colored flowers — many spotted — with contrasting outer petals. Colors are from soft white through yellow, pinks, oranges to red. Bloom July to frost. 2½ ft.

10 for 1.50;

25 for 3.40; 100 for 12.45

### PEACOCK ORCHID, *Acidanthera*

Available February to May

**1001 Murielae.** (Illus. on page 58) Delicate creamy-white with purple-brown center. Haunting fragrance! Plant in May in moist, rich deep soil. Extra feedings help growth.

10 for 1.25;

25 for 2.80; 100 for 10.25

### ISMENE, Peruvian Daffodils

Available March to May

**1359** (Illus. in color, p. 75) Fragrant, gigantic, Amaryllis-like, white blooms with apple-green markings at the throat. 3 to 4 flowers on a stem. Summer-flowering; store bulbs in a warm, dry place during winter and plant after frost. 75¢ each; 3 for 2.00



1356 Montbretias

### MONTBRETIAS (Illustrated)

New Earlham Hybrids

Available March to May

**1356 Sunset Shades.** A glorious range of warm sunset colors on spikes that resemble miniature Gladiolus. Earlham Hybrids are larger flowered and the graceful crimson, scarlet, bronze, orange, yellow and copper flowers are perched daintily on 2 ft. wiry stems. Blooms from August through October. 10 for 1.25; 25 for 2.80; 100 for 10.25

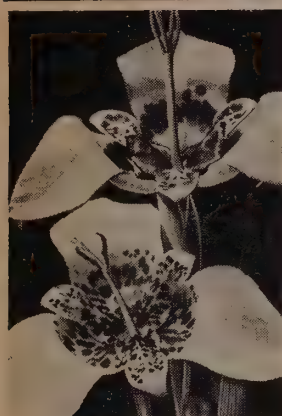


### TUBEROSES, Double Pearl

Available February to May

**1365** (Illus. in color, p. 58) Beautiful, waxy, double blooms of purest snow-white . . . a favorite with all who grow them . . . have a haunting, penetrating fragrance you'll never forget! Easy to grow. Cover to a depth of 2 in. Plant in well-drained soil in a sunny location.

10 for 1.75; 25 for 4.00;  
100 for 14.65



1363 Tigridias



Caladiums As Edging



### CALADIUM STARTER KITS

3 Bulbs — Planter — Peat!

Get professional results with Caladiums by starting them early in Breck's Caladium Starter Kit! Kit has 3 bulbs already planted in rich peat—just add water! Transplant without setback . . . produce big, gorgeous plants easily, quickly! Planter is 8¼x6¼x2½ in. to fit windowsill, porch rail. Postpaid. 1 each: Summer Snow, Blaze, Pink Seashell. **1086 Caladium Kit. 1.85**  
3 Kits (9 Tubers). Ppd. 4.95





### HARDY EASTER LILY

**1339 (Pristine Splendor).** 2 ft. Giant Easter Lilies to beautify your summer garden! A new strain with long (7-in.), purest white trumpets and dark green foliage. 4 to 6 flowers first year—up to 10 when established. Leave bulbs in ground. Hardy for years.

1.95 ea.; 3 for 5.35  
10 for 16.40



### CRIMSON GIANT LILY

**1329 NEW** for '61! A Speciosum hybrid with big, flaring flowers, spotted and flushed with crimson that deepens as the flowers mature. Bushy heads with up to 12 flowers on 18-20 in. stalk. Spectacular!

1.45 ea.; 3 for 3.95;  
10 for 12.50



### CORAL LILY

**1328 (Tenuifolium)** (Pumilum) 18-24 in. June blooming. 12 to 24 dainty, brilliant coral-red "Turk's caps" on each stem make a brilliant spire of color in the early summer garden! Easy to grow.

3 for 1.50; 10 for 4.60  
25 for 10.45



### OLYMPIC HYBRID LILY

**1338** 4 to 7 ft. The finest strain of hardy trumpet Lily! Infinite variations in form... from wide formal trumpets to informal recurved, twisted types. Colors from pure shining white to cream and fuchsia-pink. Undersides of petals shaded white or soft rose, pastels. Blooms for 3 weeks following Regal. Strong growers. 75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.25



### GOLD BANDED LILY (Auratum)

**1332** New England grown. 5 ft. Huge, snow-white fragrant flowers, up to 8 in. across in July and August. Each petal is delicately spotted with crimson and high-lighted by a gold band running from the center to the tip. Worth growing for its delightful fragrance! Disease resistant bulbs are easy to grow—have more and better blooms,

1.75 ea.; 3 for 4.80; 10 for 14.70

## BRECK'S HARDY, DISEASE-RESISTANT GARDEN LILIES

### NEW ENGLAND GROWN

If, in the past, you have been afraid to grow Garden Lilies, now is the time to start! Breck's New England grown strains are hardy, disease-resistant, healthy and vigorous. They reach you in top, freshly-dug condition, bursting to grow and bloom. In our trials they are far ahead of competing strains!

### NEW SPECIOSUM UN-NAMED HYBRIDS

Now you can own the **only flower of its kind in the world!** We have secured a limited supply of hybrid lilies of a rare blood-line—may produce flowers as large as 10-12" across! By July or August, you may have a flower worth many times its cost—you **will** have an improved Speciosum—or something between these extremes. Colors range from white flushed with pale pink to white with vivid red markings and dots. Hardy, New England grown bulbs. Plants grow from two to four feet. Order early—supply is limited. Limit 3 bulbs per customer.

Order EACH, **2.00**  
No. 1342 3 for 5.45



### ENCHANTMENT LILY

**1333** 3 ft. Big, brilliant, tawny-red blooms—as many as 10 to 14 on one stalk—are held upright on strong stems. Blooms early in July and lasts for weeks. Easy to grow... multiplies rapidly.

75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.25

### BERKSHIRE LILY GARDEN

1 each of the following:

True Pink (Large)      Enchantment  
Pristine Splendor      Regale

Order Group

No. 1325 4.20 VALUE!

**3.75**

### TRUE PINK LILY

(*Speciosum Rubrum*). (Illus. in color, p. 75.) 3 to 4 ft. A true Queen of the August garden, fragrant as well as beautiful! Gracefully recurved flowers are white, flushed with varying shades of pink. Each petal is daintily spotted with crimson. Strong, vigorous plants have as many as 10 or more flowers, become stronger year after year. New England grown.

1344 Large, 75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00; 10 for 6.25  
1345 Jumbo. 1.50 ea.; 3 for 4.10; 10 for 12.60



### MAJESTIC HYBRIDS

**1347 NEW** for '61! (Cert. of Merit, Worcester, 1960) As many as 8 to 10 huge, flaring, trumpet-shaped flowers on each sturdy stem. Flowers are 9 in. long and as much as 12 in. across. The spectacular colors range from primrose yellow to white, pink and even deep purple. Hardy, easy to grow!

1.45 ea.; 3 for 3.95; 10 for 12.50





1102 Golden Calla

## CALLA LILIES

AVAILABLE MARCH TO MAY

**1104 Snow-White Calla.** 2½ ft. Huge, long-lasting blooms of purest snow-white, rising majestically above large, white-flecked, rich green leaves.

**1102 Golden Calla.** 2½ ft. Gorgeous, richly-textured flowers of pure golden yellow. Contrasting dark green, silver-spotted foliage. (Illus.)

**1103 Beautiful Pink Calla.** 1 ft. Dwarf plants with soft, rosy-pink blossoms and attractive long, slender leaves.

All above varieties

60¢ ea.; 3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00;  
25 for 10.40

## BRECK'S MONEY-SAVING CALLA COLLECTION

1 bulb each of **Snow-White, Golden Yellow, Pink**, described above. A marvelous display for indoors or outdoors. 3 bulbs in all!

Order Group All  
No. 1099 3  
1.80 VALUE! for **150**

## GLOXINIAS

(Illus. in color, page 58.)  
Available January to March

Huge, exotic, trumpet-shaped blooms with velvety texture.

**1313 DEEP BLUE. 1312 AZURE-BLUE.**

**1314 PURE WHITE.**

**1315 SCARLET with white throat.**

**1316 SCARLET with frilled edge.**

65¢ ea., 3 for 1.80; 10 for 5.50

## GLOXINIA GARDEN

1 bulb each of 5 colors listed.

Order Group  
No. 1309  
3.25 VALUE **275**

# BRECK'S DAHLIAS

## LARGE DECORATIVE AND CACTUS FLOWERED

Huge, showy flowers . . . gorgeous colors make large-flowered Dahlias the center of attraction in your garden! Three types—FD formal decorative, ID informal decorative with curled and twisted petals, and C, cactus with rolled or quilled petals.

## CACTUS FLOWERED COLLECTION

Six distinctly different Cactus Flowered Dahlias—worth double the price if purchased separately! Gorgeously quilled—6 separate colors.

Order No. 1123

7.50 VALUE—Save 3.75!

**375**

**1134 Good Earth.** C 4½ ft. Pure lilac pink shading to a light pastel center. Rolled and twisted petals add grace to the huge, perfectly formed flowers, which last longer than most Dahlias. Long, wiry stems make them perfect for bouquets. 1.00 ea.; 3 for 2.85

**1135 King Albert.** FD Large, 7" blooms . . . a striking bicolor . . . violet purple petals tipped snowy-white. Long, sturdy stems. 85¢ ea.; 3 for 2.35



1139 Cactus Flowered Flashlight

**1139 Flashlight.** C 4½ ft. NEW for '61! Big, clear lemon-yellow flowers with rolled and twisted petals. Strong-growing plants stand up well . . . have loads of long-stemmed flowers for cutting. (Illustrated.) 1.00 ea.; 3 for 2.85



1125 Pompon Dahlia

## POMPON DAHLIA COLLECTION

You'll cut bushels of blooms . . . and have plenty left for eye-stopping garden display! 6 separate varieties, 1 ea. in "crown jewel" colors! (Illus.)

Order No. 1125

3.60 VALUE — Save 1.20

**240**



1130 Arthur Godfrey Dahlia

**1130 Arthur Godfrey.** FD Enormous, 12-in. blooms of Oriental-red with buff shadings have made this a prize winner in its class! The vigorous, 4-ft. plant is in continuous bloom. 1.25 ea.; 3 for 3.45

## SUPER DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

Six outstanding Decorative Dahlias! Superb color, form, size. Separately labeled.

Order No. 1126

6.00 VALUE! — Save 3.00

**300**

**1138 Mrs. Geo. Le Boutillier.** ID One of the best reds ever introduced—most popular for gardens! Huge 11-in. blooms. 50¢ ea.; 3 for 1.40

**1133 Five Star General.** FD 5 ft. Brilliant rosy-pink, shading to canary-yellow at the edge of petals. Large flowers often 10-in. across, carried on long stems. 1.25 ea.; 3 for 3.45

**1136 Kirsten Flagstad.** FD 5 ft. Huge golden yellow blooms with carmine rose suffusion on reverse of the petals. Early and very free flowering. One of the first Dahlias to bloom. 75¢ ea.; 3 for 2.00

**1137 Madonna.** ID Excellent texture, perfect form and massive pure white blooms . . . a standout anywhere! When fully opened, has the form of the semi-cactus type. Unusual . . . and a Gold Medal winner! 1.35 ea.; 3 for 3.70

## DAHLIA SUPPORTS

**SQUARE PLANT STAKES.** Heavy, tapering wooden stakes, nicely finished and painted dark foliage-green. Good support, particularly suited for heavier plants. 4 to 6 ft. high. Also see page 46.

2646L	4 ft. high	Wt. 5 lbs.	12 for 3.00
2647L	5 ft. high	Wt. 9 lbs.	12 for 3.75
2648X	6 ft. high	(Ex Coll. 11 lbs.)	12 for 4.75

## MINIATURE DAHLIA Bishop of Llandaff

3 ft. Hundreds of glowing scarlet flowers with garnet centers and tiny yellow anthers! Unique, lacy, bronze-red foliage is attractive even before flowers appear. One of the most outstanding Dahlias today!

Order No. 1132 Each, 75¢  
3 for 2.00

## MINIATURE DAHLIA COLLECTION

6 leading varieties—no 2 colors alike! Dainty 2 to 3-in. blooms—grand for borders, charming arrangements—cover bushy 2 to 4-ft. plants.

Order No. 1124

3.60 VALUE — Save 1.20

**240**





### Sunlighter Indoor Metal Stands

answer the problem of displaying, tending house plants! Smartly designed, heavy-duty, metal stands hold prize plants, precious seedlings, cuttings in best light for maximum growth. Optional (30 watts per fixture) adjustable fluorescent lights available—give scientific "greenhouse" lighting. Removable, rust-proof green trays for easy watering. A must for African Violets! 2 tray stand requires 24x14" floor space—4 and 8 tray 24x27". Prepaid.

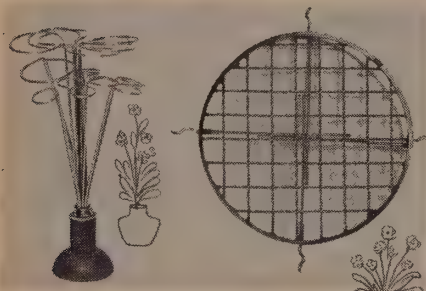
- 2852L** 8-Tray Stand. (27" wide, 55" high, 24" long) ..... **34.95**  
**2853L** 4-Tray Stand (14" wide, 55" high, 24" long) Illus. .... **21.95**  
**2854L** 2-Tray Stand. (14" wide, 28" high, 24" long) ..... **12.95**  
**2855L** Light Fixture—30 watt..... **12.95**  
 Save on 3 Fixtures for..... **34.95**



### Oasis Flower Holder

Professional flower arrangements in a jiffy! Oasis holds flowers firmly at any angle . . . keeps them crisp and petal-perfect for days! Retains over 30 times its weight in water! Place in graceful green crystal-glass bowl (6" diam., 3" high) to display prize blooms!

- 2607** Oasis, pkg. of 3. Ppd. .... **1.00**  
**2606** Oasis, Bowl only. Ppd. .... **3.00**  
 Free booklet on "20 novel ideas with flowers," included with order.



- Easy to Use!
- For Any Size Flowers
- Inexpensive!
- Fine Gifts!

### Flower Arranging Specials!

For "professional" bouquets! Two suction-cup **Fashioners** (left), each 5" high, have 15 non-corrosive flexible wires topped by seven 1" and eight 1/2" rings. Hold all stem sizes . . . even candles! **Stem Tender**, 4 1/2" diam., holds bouquet upright—expands 4 arms to fit 5-12" containers. Ppd.

- 2874** Fashioner. .... Set of 2, **1.00**  
**2875** Brass Stem Tender. .... **1.00**

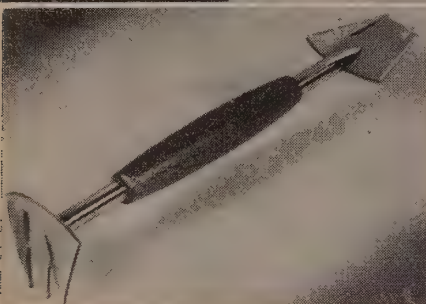


- For Gorgeous Displays
- Adjustable
- Washable

### Decorative Flower Pot Covers

Gay "bib 'n tuckers," moulded of soft, flexible white plastic, dress up prosaic pots with lacy prettiness. Mar-proof bases protect table tops, windowsills. Adjustable, fold-down rims show-off smaller pots or bowls. Glamorous decorators are washable; can be used for indoor or outdoor plants. Postpaid.

- 2867** 3" Pot Cover. 3 for **39¢**      **2869** 5" Pot Cover. 3 for **98¢**  
**2868** 4" Pot Cover. 3 for **69¢**      **2870** 6" Pot Cover. Each **45¢**  
**2871** 7" Pot Cover. Each, **49¢**



### Junior Rake 'n Spade

Ingenious, useful gift for window-box and flower-pot gardeners! She'll apply fertilizer to favorite plants with tiny spade . . . cultivate soil with 3-pronged rake! Chrome-plated steel with smooth mahogany handle for easy, tidy indoor gardening! 7 1/2" long. Ppd.

- 2876** Rake-Spade. .... **1.00**

### BRAND NEW!

### Gleaming Metal Planters Dress Up House Plants!

Smart new, streamlined-design flower pots to enhance and set off the beauty of your favorite plants! Crafted of finest, heavy-gauge anodized aluminum in both copper and brass finishes, these decorative beauties are sturdy, yet lightweight . . . won't rust or tarnish! Plant directly into the pots, or use them as jardinières.

- 2801** Copper Finish, 5". Postpaid. **1.19**  
**2802** Copper Finish, 6". Postpaid. **1.59**  
**2803** Brass Finish, 5". Postpaid. **1.19**  
**2804** Brass Finish, 6". Postpaid. **1.59**



### Take Guess Work Out of Watering!

**Sprinkle Minder** tells you when to water, and when not to water—outdoors or indoors! Just insert into soil—the indicator will instantly, automatically tell you when roots need water! Prevents over-watering, burned-up lawns, dried-up plants! Use all year 'round to indicate amount of moisture in your lawn, flower beds, shrubbery, trees and all indoor house plants! Guaranteed. Ppd.

- 2791** Sprinkle Minder. .... **4.95**



### Nev'r-Drip Indoor Garden Hose

Unbreakable plastic reservoir lets you water indoor plants neatly, easily—without dripping! 17" rubber hose reaches under leaves . . . applies liquid by gravity! Container with pour-spout is graduated for accurate mixing . . . holds 1/2 gal.! Hose clips to contoured handle when not in use. Ppd.

- 2779** Indoor Hose Pitcher. .... **1.98**



### Parisian Flower Cart

Display your plants with provincial quaintness on our attractive, capacious 3-tier cart! Wheels from sunroom to patio or porch. Plants are exposed to sun, show off better than on "stacked" shelves. Use as hostess cart, for knick-knacks. Heavy-gauge metal with weatherproof baked-enamel finish. 34x25x17". Order antique white or black.

- 4819** DeLuxe Flower Cart. .... **14 lbs. 9.95**  
**4820** Flower Cart, Utility Wt. .... **10 lbs. 7.95**



### Flower Foamizer

Easy-action, solid brass atomizer that soaks delicate seedlings, house plants and foliage with a fine mist . . . gently and safely . . . at a touch of your finger! Handy to use for insecticides, plant nutrients, etc., too! Non-tarnish finish. 10-ounce capacity. Postpaid.

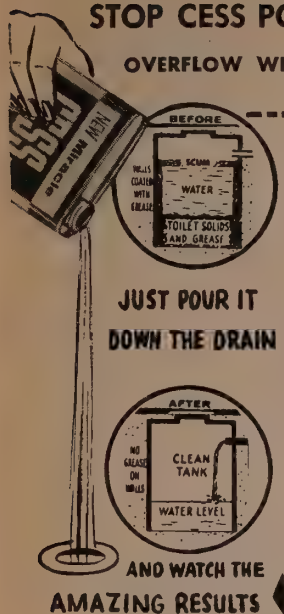
- 2784** Foamizer. .... **1.95**



## STOP CESS POOL

OVERFLOW WITH

# CESS-Kleen



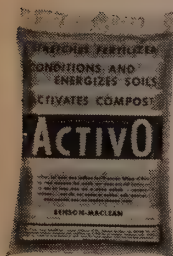
Stop cesspool, septic tank overflow! Lasting-action chemical cleans tanks, pools with 1 easy application! Liquefies solids with instant bacterial action. Strips grease, grime from cesspool walls! Ends grease trap clogging. Lets water penetrate ground. Deodorizes! Aids surrounding plant growth! Lessens disease hazard! Pour down drain, let stand 10-15 min., flush with water. Enough for pool 8 ft. deep. Non-acid, non-caustic. Postpaid.

8999 Cess-Kl. Qt. 2.98

## ACTIVO FOR COMPOST

Make valuable manure the organic way! Mix with grass clippings, garbage, garden refuse—any non-woody vegetable matter—it's magic! Conditions and energizes soil, extending costly fertilizer. Scientifically prepared of the best kinds of bacteria to hasten decomposition of compost.

**The last word in smart gardening!**  
3351 Treats 400 lbs. Sh. Wt. 2 lbs. 1.39  
3352 Treats 1500 lbs. Sh. Wt. 7 lbs. 2.95  
3353L Treats 2 tons. Sh. Wt. 20 lbs. 7.95



## SPECIAL OFFER!

With each order for Activo, we offer an 8x14' black plastic compost cover—the newest idea for scientific composting—retail value 2.59!  
3350 Compost Cover. Postpaid. 1.00



## NO WET CELLARS!

Reduce soil erosion and foundation dampness from drain spouts! Handy "silent servant" drains away water from leader pipes, spouts, and faucets... inexpensive substitute for drywells! No assembly—simply set Rain-Drain on ground. Made of unbreakable, weather resistant linear polyethylene. 23 3/4-in. long; tapers from 5 1/4" to 16".

2840L Rain-Drain. Ppd. 2.98



## NO DIGGING, CHOPPING!

Simply drill a hole, 6 to 12-in. deep in the stump and insert **Magic Stump Remover**. 12-in. stump takes only 4 tablespoonfuls! Impregnates stumps so that they can be easily burned or removed.

3057 8-oz.. Postpaid. 1.50

3058 16-oz. Postpaid. 2.75



## SPOUT-O-MATIC

STOPS "DRAIN-WATER" DAMAGE!

End the age-old problem of "gouged-out" soil from cascading drain-water with ingenious Spout-O-Matic! Sprinkles when it rains... coils when it's clear! Just attach to drain opening and forget it! 48-in. long, grass-green, weatherproof hose (7-in. wide) carries down-rushing water to a safe distance... disperses it through "seepholes" and perforated brass sprinkler-discs! After the downpour, stainless steel inner springs cause the hose to recoil automatically. Fits round and rectangular spouts.

2835 Spout-O-Matic. Postpaid. 4.98



## END SEWER-LINE ROOT MESS, SAVE ON COSTLY REPAIR BILLS!

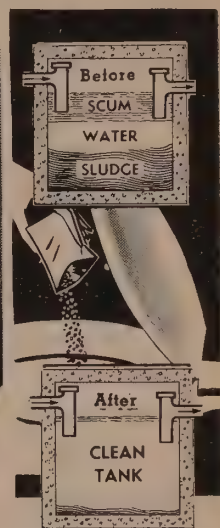
Stop tree roots from growing in your sewer line. Thirsty tree roots can block up pipes, flood basements. Root Destroyer is effective immediately... safe! Simply pour Root Destroyer into toilet bowl—dissolves in minutes—destroys all roots in your sewer line. Does not harm plumbing fixture, sewer pipe, trees or your hands. Don't wait until a flooded basement tells you it's too late! Guaranteed!

3055 R-D. 2 lbs. Postpaid.

3.95



**2.98**  
6 treatments



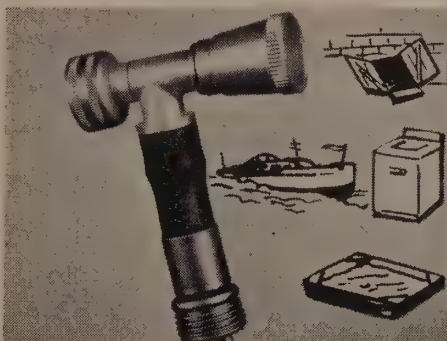
## SEPTIC AIDE

MIRACLE-CLEANS SEPTIC TANKS!

Pour 1 pkg. of this amazing powder down drain **once**, and grease, grime strip away from tank walls... drains unclog, odors vanish! Instant bacterial action eliminates solids, prevents overflow. No messy mixing, work! Saves costly plumbing bills! Non-toxic, non-poisonous, non-caustic. Safe for plumbing, appliances, drainfields, animals, humans. **Can't hurt hands!** Used successfully by industry, institutions for years! Package contains 6 treatments.  
8943 Septic Aide. Ppd. 2.98; 2 for 5.50

## AUTOMATIC DRAIN PUMP

Amazing Siph-O Pump drains out flooded cellars at the rate of 360 gallons an hour—empties boats, washing machines, swimming pools fast, too! Just attach to faucet or hose, turn on water—powerful siphoning action starts immediately to suck out every drop of water! Durable aluminized zinc. Fits any std. faucet or hose. Instr. incl.  
8679 Siph-O Drain Pump. 2.98





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Bird Supplies  
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You can be assured that all Breck's bird supplies are the finest ever made—recently tested and highly approved by the well-known Audubon Society of Massachusetts! Breck's healthful, well-balanced bird seed formulas are most widely acceptable for all birds, perfected to attract more varieties of wild life to your feeders. The grateful birds will thank you!

## Breck's Country Life "MOOSE HILL" WILD BIRD FOOD



Our own famous mixture—for years the choice of experts—is now the officially approved "Moose Hill" mixture of the Massachusetts Audubon Society. Mixed to strictest specifications, it contains nothing but the choicest re-cleaned ingredients and, because it contains no "filler" seeds, it will be eaten to the last seed. All seeds are not eaten by birds that normally inhabit your garden. Years of testing have shown us which seeds are most desirable. Sunflower and Peanut Hearts are included in extra generous quantities. Millets and other proven favorites make up the balance, plus the exact percentage of grit needed to aid digestion. Use Country Life in your feeders and watch the difference! More birds will use them . . . and there will be no waste.

2225 Wild Bird Food.	5 lbs. (Sh. Wt. 5 lbs.)	1.00
2226 Wild Bird Food.	10 lbs. (Sh. Wt. 10 lbs.)	1.90
2227X Wild Bird Food.	25 lbs. (Exp. Coll.)	4.70
2228X Wild Bird Food.	100 lbs. (Exp. Coll.)	17.50



## SUNFLOWER SEEDS

Choice delicacies to attract chickadees, nuthatches, woodpeckers, finches, juncos, tree sparrows, evening grosbeaks. Valuable winter food with extra rich oil content. Birds swoop down for them!

2240 Sunflower.	5 lbs. (wt. 5 lbs.)	1.95
2241 Sunflower.	10 lbs. (wt. 10 lbs.)	3.35
2242X Sunflower.	25 lbs. (Exp. Coll.)	7.25
2243X Sunflower.	50 lbs. (Exp. Coll.)	12.75

**BRECK'S HEMP SEED** Attract Chickadees to **your** feeder with these popular seeds! Hemp seed is part of Breck's Country Life Mixture . . . but smart "birders" keep adding more to please the birds!

2231 3 lbs. Hemp Seed.	Sh. Wt. 3 lbs.	1.39
2232X 25 lb. Bag.	Express Coll.	10.75



6 Ft. High

2211L

Big VALUE! Only

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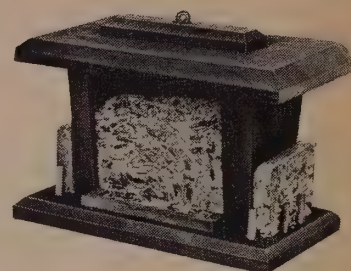
## NEW 6-FT., 3-SECTION STEEL POST FEEDER

Attractive, decorative feeder . . . easy to set up and fill—resembles colorful Japanese lantern! Just push the 3 section, all-steel pole into the ground and have a feeder anywhere you wish! 6 feet tall—safe from cats, difficult for raiding squirrels. Beautiful, bright foliage-green plastic top and tray, with translucent square plastic hopper . . . holds and automatically dispenses 2½ lbs. of Country Life Wild Bird Food (not incl.). Easy to fill. Makes a wonderful lawn ornament! Lasts for years! 2211L Post Feeder. Postpaid. 3.98



## COUNTRY LIFE, JR.

A Good Samaritan to care for all manner of friendly songsters through wintry cold and storms. Tray fills automatically from see-through reservoir that shows when to refill. Weatherproof plastic, with 8" canopy roof for bad-weather protection. Wide all-around perch, draining slots, loop for hanging on tree limb, away from cats. Postpaid. 2202 Junior Feeder. 1.39



## BRECK'S SKY DINER

Birds flock to this automatic, rustic wood hanging feeder—they love its spaciousness and protection! Approx. 12x8-in., with ring for easy hanging. Glass enclosure holds over 3 lbs. seed, 2 suet cakes (not included). Fill from top. 2209L Diner Only. Ppd. 6.95

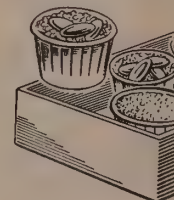
## HANGING DINER

You'll have a picnic when you suspend this hanging picnic ground from post, tree or window frame! It's a 16" long feeder of roughened brown-stained wood with holes on all sides. Two sides have perches, two are plain for clingers. Comes crammed with delicious Seed-Suet and Peanut Food Cups. 12 extra refills included. 2206 Diner. Postpaid. 2.95



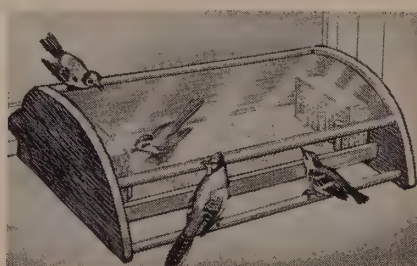
## WILD BIRD FOOD CUPS

A special blend of seeds, suet, pressed peanut hearts and berries that is irresistible to birds! Molded right in the easy-to-use paper cups . . . easily inserted in Breck's Hanging Diner. . . . Keep plenty on hand so that you won't run out! Ppd. 2217 Food Cups. Box of 24. 1.49



## NEW COUNTRY-LIFE AUTOMATIC FEEDER

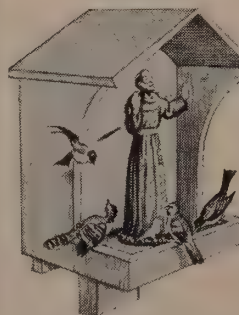
Our famous feeder in improved streamlined design! Lantern-style plastic feeder releases 1½ lbs. feed into tray as needed. Unique reversible clear-glass reservoir lets you feed birds you like best. Large end down discourages big birds, small end down attracts 'em! Contrasting red color makes bird-watching easy. Extra drain holes in tray keep food fresh, tasty. 12" canopy wards off rain. Includes 12" rod for hanging. 2200L Bird Feeder. Postpaid. 3.95



## WINDOWSILL FEEDER

The last word in modern functional design! Curved roof of unbreakable, transparent plastic wards off pelting rain and snow, keeps food dry. Sturdy, brown-stained wooden frame has built-in holders for Breck's Seed-Suet or Peanut Cakes, with long wooden perch to attract more birds. Approx. 18 in. long, easy to install on any windowsill where you can watch birds. Fill from indoors. 2213L Windowsill Feeder. Ppd. 7.95

## ST. FRANCIS FEEDERS



Bring dignity and grace to your garden with this traditional feeder of St. Francis of Assisi. Set off by the blue background, this 7-in. statue of the humble man of God invites all your feathered friends to partake of the food so graciously given. 7½x9x11 in.; holds 4 lbs. of bird food (not incl.). 3613 St. Francis Feeder. Ppd. 5.95

3614L Deluxe Model. 13 in. Statue. Holds 15 lbs. food. 10x15x19 in. Postpaid 15.95





### ATTRACT HUMMINGBIRDS!

Lure 'em with these hand-blown glass feeders, a-brimming with tempting syrup . . . they'll flock to your garden and stay there! So easy to fill with sugar-sweetened water, hang on plant stems by bronze spring clips. Then—sit back and watch the wee birds come winging in! Set of 4 in assorted jewel-tone colors with clips, instructions for easy mixing of nectar. Postpaid.

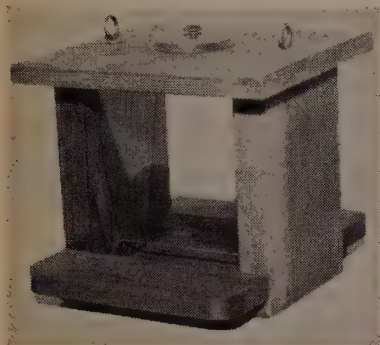
2208 Humming Bird Feeders. Set, 1.50



### DO-IT-YOURSELF WREN HOUSE

Child-simple! Ready to assemble—no tools or nails needed! So inexpensive, too! Made of life-time natural California redwood . . . never needs painting! Ideal for children . . . stimulates interest in nature! A natural for wrens—the size they prefer (8½x5½x5½-in.). Small opening keeps larger birds out.

3616 Wren House. Postpaid. 1.59



### SNACK FEEDER

Specially designed to attract the smaller-sized birds, yet has most of the features of larger models! Rustically styled of long-lasting natural redwood, it never needs painting. Seed reservoir, with clear glass on both sides for keeping tabs on contents, holds 1 lb. of seed. 6" wide, 7" deep, 6" high . . . fits in even smallest areas!

3611 Snack Feeder. Postpaid.

295



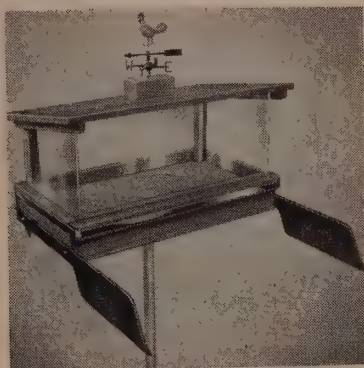
### FLIP-UP PHOTO ALBUM

Holds scores of photos of your family, friends, unusual birds, or your garden—with no time-wasting mounting required! They always lie flat, and corners won't ever become bent! 3½x5" clear plastic pockets, on 7x10" loose-leaf pages, take up to 20 photos on both sides . . . just flip them over to view! Add more pages as needed to display hundreds of snapshots! Saddle-tan vinyl ring binder comes with two insert pages.

5175 Flip-Up Photo Album with 2 Inserts. Ppd. 1.89

5176 Extra Inserts. Ppd. Each, 49¢; 3 for 1.19

### New! BRECK'S REVOLVING FEEDER



Protects birds and food from the elements . . . tells which way the wind's blowing! 11x11 x19-in. redwood and plexiglas feeder is mounted on ball-bearing turntable . . . rotates with wind to shelter birds from snow, rain. Clear sides, back for all-angle viewing. Holds 8 suet cakes or 4 lbs. seed. Rooster indicator, arrow-shape vanes, 6' mounting post. 14 lbs.

3609L Feeder. 19.95

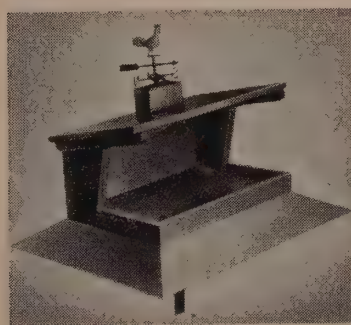


### 150-PAGE JIFFY BIRD GUIDE

Want to know what kind of bird that was? Look it up quickly, easily in this simplified book! Pocket size, with pictures in natural color of the 112 most common birds in the U.S. One bird per page, pictured in its natural habitat, with description and where usually found marked graphically on a U.S. map. Data on food, nests, eggs, etc., incl.

1904 Bird Guide. Postpaid. 1.00

### New! WEATHERVANE FEEDING STATION



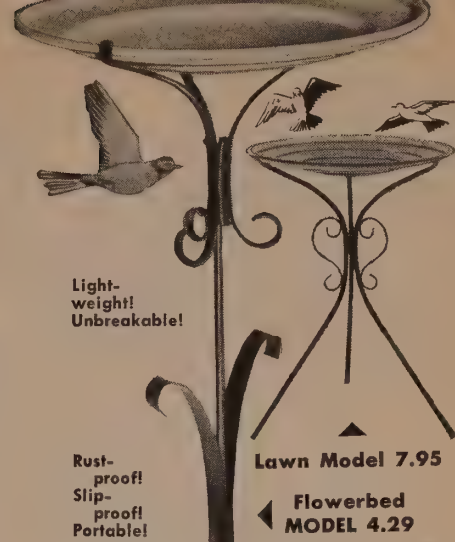
Of California redwood, with plastic baffle to out-wit squirrels! Rooster-topped metal weathervane swings to show wind direction. 19x15x12½ in., with 13x5-in. glass window; automatically feeds 5 lbs. seed. Drain holes; brass hardware. Attach to post with metal flange included.

3610L Vane. Ppd. 14.95

### WILD BIRD CAKES

Tasty, nourishing foods compressed into cakes that fit all standard-size feeders. **Peanut Cakes** are a balanced blend of peanut hearts, berries, vitamin elements. **Seed-Suet Cakes** contain purest, refined suet, fresh grains, choice seed. Ppd.

2218 Peanut Cakes. 2219 Seed-Suet. 3 for 1.10; 6 for 2.15; 12 for 4.15



Light-weight!  
Unbreakable!

Rust-proof!  
Slip-proof!  
Portable!

Lawn Model 7.95

Flowerbed MODEL 4.29

### FLOWER GARDEN BIRD BATH

Your garden echoes the joyous song of the birds with one of these popular unbreakable bird baths. Bowl has two levels to accommodate both large and small birds. Ingenious gritty green finish prevents birds from slipping, keeps rust from forming. 16" across, 2" deep. Snaps into base, easily removed for winter storage.

2515L Flowerbed Model, green ornamental iron stake. 28" high. 6 lbs. 4.29

2516L Lawn Model. 20½" bowl on 3 supporting tubular steel legs. 31" high. 8 lbs. 7.95

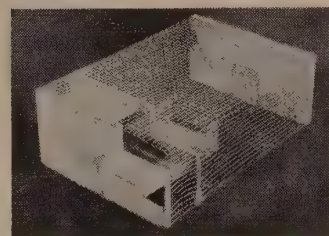
### DO-IT-YOURSELF WINDOWSILL



### BIRD FEEDER

Attaches to windowsill . . . lets you watch fascinating feathered friends dine where your children can observe and learn their habits in indoor comfort! Made of natural redwood, it never needs painting. 11x10⅜x4½ in. with wide perch, see-through glass top. Easily assembled; illustrated instructions.

3619 Feeder. Postpaid. 2.50



TRAP  
PESKY  
ENGLISH  
SPARROWS

Catch the nuisances that chase song birds away! Automatic elevator harmlessly takes them from seedpan in open to upper level inside trap, then it returns. Songsters accidentally caught can be released unharmed. 2610 Sparrow Trap. 12 lbs. 12.95





**JUICY, JUMBO-SIZE**

## STRAWBERRIES!

**25** HARDY PLANTS  
**ONLY 4<sup>50</sup>** (Postpaid.)

**50 PLANTS** (Postpaid.) **7.50**  
**100 PLANTS** (Postpaid.) **9.50**

**4109 Ozark Beauty.** The largest, sweetest, juiciest all red berry we've ever seen! One plant produces up to **one pint the first year and one quart the second year!** Pick Ozark Beauty all summer and fall—right up to frost! The berries illustrated were picked as late as Sept. 18. Strong, healthy plants just waiting their chance to produce red-to-the-core strawberries galore!



Grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  Crates of Berries in 23" Space!

### ALUMINUM STRAWBERRY BARREL

Scientifically designed for easy use—a better, more luscious berry crop! 48 horizontal planter cups hold tender fruit free of mud, soil . . . berries grow in the air! Moisture and plant food go directly to roots via inset tube . . . no messy overflow! Heavy-gauge, no rust, lifetime aluminum. (Shipped in 4 easy-to-assemble sections.)

**2843L Aluminum Strawberry Barrel.** Postpaid. **19.95**



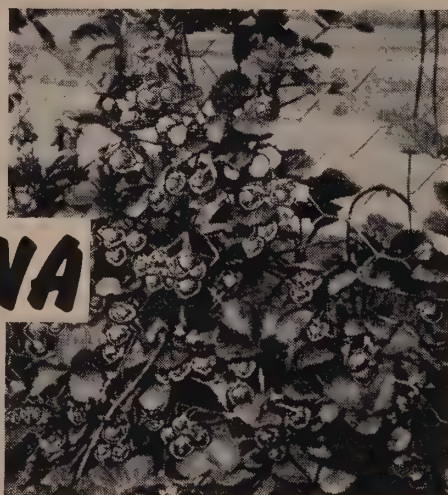
**CLIMBING STRAWBERRY**

THE ORIGINAL

# SONJANA

**3 PLANTS FOR 6<sup>95</sup>** Ppd.

(Illustrated in color, page 2.)



The sensation of Europe . . . climbs over 4 ft.! You get big, juicy berries with delicious wild strawberry flavor! Bears profusely June to frost. Pick right off the vine—no stooping, no dirt—berries grow up away from soil! Hardy, fast growing, pot-grown plants are shipped ready-to-grow at the right time for your area . . . from Feb. 10 on. Guaranteed to blossom and fruit all summer!

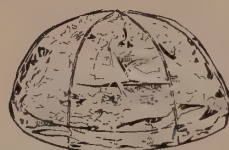
**4101 . . . 3 Sonjana Climbing Strawberry Plants.** Ppd. 6 Plants, **13.50**; 12 Plants, **25.95**

**6<sup>95</sup>**

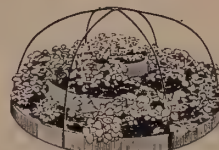


**BRECK'S**

# PYRAMID<sup>®</sup>



**Transparent Plastic Cover** protects against frost when starting seeds, plantings early! Lets you get more "growing time" per plant—earlier, better crops! **4119 Postpaid. 6.95**



**Support Frames** form a dome-support for plastic or net covers. Transforms your Pyramid Bed into a miniature greenhouse in just a few minutes! Set of 6 rods. **4120 Postpaid. 3.95**



**Protective Netting** guards your tender young plants, seedlings from "pecking" birds! Strong, durable—use as cover for winter mulch, too! **4118 Postpaid. 6.95**

### Amazing Small-Space "Garden" Produces BUSHELS O' BERRIES!

Now, even the smallest home grounds can harvest a bountiful crop of luscious ripe strawberries from an area of only **6-ft. sq.** That's all you need to accommodate this attractive, circular terraced, wonder garden. Keeps **50 plants** elevated, pyramid fashion, to let each juicy berry bask in sunlight . . . produces quicker, more abundant harvests. Easy to pick, simple to care for. No searching or bending for ripe berries . . . they're in full view to gather quickly, effortlessly. Ideal for vegetables, flowers, too! **4116 Pyramid Bed with Sprinkler Unit** (sprinkler, tubing, hose connections), three 5-in. wide corrugated aluminum bands, assembling and planting instructions. Postpaid. **9.95**

### PYRAMID BED Complete With PLANTS!

**4117** You get **50 Red Rich, Everbearing Strawberry** plants and 3-tier, 6-ft. diam. **Pyramid Bed** (three 5-in wide corrugated aluminum bands) with **Sprinkler unit.** Instr.

**18<sup>45</sup>** **4117 Ppd.**

### RED RICH, EVERBEARING STRAWBERRY

**4103** Wt., 3 lbs. per 25 plants. Rich in color—right through the core! Delectably honeysweet! Rich in juice. Jumbo size, solid and firm, tops for freezing. Plants set out in April or May will bear beautiful fruit by August . . . and from June till frost for years to come. Hardy, prolific. (See color picture on page 75.) **25 for 5.00; 50 for 8.50; 100 for 15.00**

### Strawberries listed below

**25 for 2.25; 50 for 3.25; 100 for 4.95; 500 for 19.95** unless otherwise priced.

**4105 Premier (Howard 17).** Early. The only frost-proof strawberry—safest for northern states, high altitudes. Extremely prolific over long season. Ppd.

**4106 Fairfax.** Early. Very large, high quality—sweetest berries we know. Ppd.

**4107 Robinson.** Mid-Season. Plump, shiny-red berries make a picture-book shortcake! Outstanding variety. Ppd.

**4108 Catskill.** Late. Hardy, good cropper. Best companion for Premier to extend your picking season. Ppd.

**4104 Superfection.** Everbearing. Very large, roundish berries, dark red clear through. Ripens June till November, produces another crop following Spring. Ppd.

**25 for 2.95; 50 for 4.45; 100 for 6.45**



## NAMED HYBRIDS

Guaranteed True To Color!

These Rhododendron plants are grown from cuttings, taken from named Hybrids. They are guaranteed true to color and will grow into big, gorgeous plants worth \$25 to \$50 in a few years! Strong, well-rooted plants, 9 to 12 in. tall, each in its own big, 4 in. plant band, are shipped to you in patented shipping containers that guarantee their arrival in perfect condition.

Shipped by insured Parcel Post.

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1 ea. Nova Zembla (Bright Red); Catawbiense Album (Pure White); Purpureum Grandiflorum (Rich Purple); Roseum Elegans (Clear Pink)

You Pay Only

8<sup>95</sup>  
Ppd.

## GROWN FROM HAND-SELECTED SEED

Early Customers Reporting Beautiful Colors!

The chance of a lifetime to enhance the beauty and value of your property completely, yet so inexpensively! Hybrid Rhododendrons at the amazingly LOW price of **less than 50¢ apiece!** These magnificent seedlings will be worth \$5 to \$10 in a few years! Rhododendrons are the most valued and treasured of all the broadleaved evergreen shrubs. In the spring the plants are a mass of color that defies comparison! Strikingly beautiful colors include red, crimson, pink, rose, lavender, scarlet and white. All true, clear shades!

## Our Most Popular Offer!

12 Rhododendron Plants Only

4152 Sh. Wt. 6 lbs.

Shipped Insured Parcel Post.

5<sup>95</sup>  
(Less than)  
50¢ each!

Satisfied and overjoyed earlier customers are reporting to us that, after only a few years, their plants are now blooming even more beautifully than described! Here is the reason why. One of America's choice plantings of Hybrid Rhododendrons is here in northern New England. Our grower collects seeds from this famous planting and from the hand-picked seeds, Breck's Hybrid Rhododendrons are grown. Your plants will reward you greatly. Green and beautiful the whole year 'round, they're a riot of color in June.

ORDER EARLY—Plants will be shipped at best planting time.



## BRECK'S SPECIAL

## AZALEA

PACKAGES

Any of  
Packages  
below  
Wt. 6 lbs.5<sup>95</sup>Pkg.  
of  
12 PlantsShipped Insured  
Parcel Post

Each package worth \$50 to \$75 in 3 to 5 years! Masses of flaming brilliance! Use as accents with formal evergreen or mass in blocks of color. Hardy, tolerant of acid soil, ideal for northern gardens. Sturdy plants in 2-in. bands.

**4188 Kaempferi, Flame—Torch Azalea.** The most popular variety of all. Big clusters of brilliant flame red blooms in May! Pkg. of 12 plants.

**4189 Mollis, The Flame Azalea.** Large clusters of beautiful, big flowers in May. Mixed colors, ranging from delicate yellow through golden salmon to terracotta and red. 12 in all.

**4191 Azalea Poukhanensis.** Korean Azalea. Hardest of all Azaleas. Withstands sub-ZERO temperatures. Smothered with lilac-lavender flowers in Spring. Pkg. of 12.

**4190 Mucronulatum, Magnolia Azalea.** Very early, gorgeous rosy-lavender flowers, opening with Forsythia. 4-6 ft. tall. Plant with Forsythia. Pkg. of 12.

**4197 Long-Season Rainbow Azalea Garden.** 6 Azalea Mollis and 6 Azalea Poukhanensis. Blooms last for weeks.

**4198 Azalea-Rhododendron Combination.** 6 Azalea Mollis and 6 Hybrid Rhododendrons. 12 in all.

**4195 Brilliant Collection.** A bright combination! 6 Azalea Kaempferi Flame, 6 Hybrid Rhododendrons.

**4196 Early & Late Collection.** The earliest blooming Azalea with summer-blooming Rhododendron. 6 Azalea Mucronulatum and 6 Hybrid Rhododendrons. 12 in all.



Growing in  
moisture-  
retaining  
Michigan  
Peat!



Patented  
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insures  
perfect  
plants on  
arrival.



The same plant  
after 2 growing  
years (actual  
photo)

RASPBERRIES  
and BLACKBERRIES

For a continuous crop from June 'til mid-October, plant these:

## TENDER-SWEET RASPBERRIES

**4133 Amber (Yellow).** Everbearing. Appealing pineapple-yellow, pink-tinged when ripe. As for flavor, this new, full-o'-juice creation is superb! Unlike other yellow raspberries, Amber is firm, never tough. Prolific yields from early July. Postpaid.

5 for 3.25; 10 for 4.95; 25 for 8.95

**4137 Madawaska.** Very early. Largest early berry, top quality, on heavy canes. Two weeks earlier than Latham. Postpaid.

**4135 Latham.** Mid-Season. Excellent for canning and freezing—keeps its flavor and bright red color. Vigorous, needs no expert care. Extremely productive. Postpaid.

**4139 Durham.** Everbearing. Tangy, wild-raspberry flavor and extra firmness are combined in this University of New Hampshire creation. Heavy foliage protects from frost. Postpaid.

Above Three Varieties:

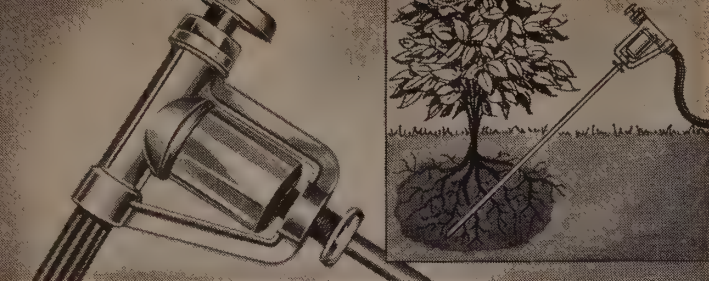
5 for 1.95; 10 for 2.95; 25 for 4.95

## BLACKBERRIES

**4129 Blackberry, Bailey.** A new introduction from New York's famous Geneva Experiment Station. Produces enormous crops of huge flavorful, glossy-black berries. Experts agree that this is the finest Blackberry to date! Ppd.

5 for 2.95; 10 for 4.60; 25 for 7.95





## FAMOUS ROSS IRRIGATOR AND ROOT FEEDER

Puts plant food and water at the roots where all of it goes to work immediately. Insert **up to three** cartridges, attach to hose and push sturdy, 34-in. precision built rod into soil. Feeds and waters during spring, summer and fall. A must for evergreens before freeze-up!

**3726L Root Feeder Complete** with 12 nutrient cartridges. Ppd. 6.98

### ALL-PURPOSE CARTRIDGES (8-16-8)

Complete plant food for lawns, flowers, shrubs and trees. **3727 Cartridges.** Postpaid Doz. 1.00

### ACID CARTRIDGES (10-20-20)

For Evergreens, Rhododendrons, Blueberries, acid-loving plants. **3728 Cartridges.** Postpaid Doz. 1.00

### STARTER CARTRIDGES (9-46-15)

For quick rooting of all plants especially after transplanting. **3729 Cartridges.** Postpaid Doz. 1.00

### ROSE CARTRIDGES (15-25-10)

**PLUS IRON** for better bloom, brighter colors, more show. **3730 Cartridges.** Postpaid Doz. 1.00

### SOIL CORRECTIVE CARTRIDGES (5-35-10)

Iron Chelate and plant food. Keeps foliage rich green. **3731 Cartridges.** Postpaid Doz. 1.50

## HOLLY TREES

Illus.  
in color  
Pg. 75

- For Year 'Round Beauty!
- Grow Your Own Christmas Decorations!

Brighten your lawn and home at Christmas and the year 'round with decorative Holly trees! These amazing evergreen trees are covered with gorgeous dark green leaves . . . plus bright red berries in late fall and through the winter. Hollies are beautifully shaped pyramidal trees and they can be shaped into handsome lawn specimens in hedges. They grow luxuriantly, increasing in beauty year after year. Hardy from Massachusetts southward, they'll stand full sun or partial shade. They grow best in acid soil with plenty of humus. Berries are borne on female plants. One male plant should be included to insure pollination.

Berries are borne on female plants. One male plant is included in each grouping to insure pollination. Branched 9 to 12 in. high . . . marked to show sex.

**4183 Holly.**  
(2 female,  
1 male incl.)  
5 lbs. . . . .

**6<sup>95</sup>**

**4184 Holly.**  
(5 female,  
1 male incl.)  
10 lbs. . . . .

**12<sup>95</sup>**

### SUB ZERO

## EVERBLOOMING PILLAR ROSES

**NEW!** Unique 3-way roses withstand temperatures as low as 15° below zero—give you big, colorful fragrant blooms all summer long! Grow them as Hybrid Teas . . . as big specimen shrubs . . . or as everblooming climbers! Guaranteed by Breck's for 5 years! (See back cover.) Postpaid.

3 for **9.95**

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12 for **35.95**

**BRECK'S**

## AIRWRAP KITS —START YOUR OWN SHRUBS!



Now anyone can easily root dozens of trees, shrubs, plants in 2 to 8 weeks! Easy-to-use kit contains 10 hormone-treated Vinylite plastic wraps, ties and a generous supply of sphagnum moss, complete with full instructions. You can root expensive trees and shrubs outdoors, or root cuttings from your favorite house plants indoor!

**2603 Kit.** Postpaid. **2.25**

**2604 Airwrap propagating Vinylite plastic** to supplement kit above, enough for starting 30 new plants. Ppd. **2.25**



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America's Favorite Gardening Guides!

Complete, easy to follow, how-to-do-it guides for beginners and experts . . . generously illustrated, many with drawings.

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All are postpaid.

### ALL-YEAR-ROUND

## MINIATURE ROSES

Beautiful miniature roses that grow and bloom indoors—brighten your rooms all winter long! Dainty, tiny replicas of the big garden roses, with flowers no larger than a quarter! These perfect miniatures come to you in three enchanting colors—Cinderella (snow white), Red Imp (bright red) and Bo Peep (clear pink). Fascinating, easy-to-grow plants for gorgeous arrangements, corsages, pot plants . . . use as edgings, borders or in rock gardens in spring and summer! Complete kit includes 3 dormant roses (1 each of the above 3 colors), 3 pots and growing material, water-tight tray, sub-irrigating mat, rose food. (See page 75.)

**4173 Miniature Roses Kit.** Postpaid.

**7.95**



## 'NEARLY WILD' SUB ZERO ROSE

- Guaranteed For 5 Years!
- Outblooms Any Other Shrub-Type Rose!
- Thousands Of Blooms All Summer!

A famous Brownell sub zero Rose that will amaze you and your friends! Produces thousands and thousands of blooms all summer long . . . many times more, by actual test count, than any other leading Rose. Blooms from June right up to frost. Use 'Nearly Wild' as a hedge, a specimen bush, as part of your landscape plan. Wherever it's grown, you'll be amazed at the wealth of bright pink, Dogwood-like blooms that open every day! Hardy, too—sub-zero breeding means hardiness as low as 35° below zero.

**4171 Nearly Wild Rose.** Postpaid.

2.25 ea.; 3 for **6.25**; 12 for **21.95**







- Prevents Accidents!
- Protects Trees, Fences, Lawns!
- Attaches Anywhere!
- Inexpensive!

### TWO-WAY REFLECTING MARKER

NEW—low-cost, practical, two-sided marker to locate danger spots from any direction! Use to mark trees, fences, mail boxes, or mount on stakes to use as snow markers. 3¼" long-range lucite reflector lens with flexible plastic bracket.

8817 Marker. Postpaid.

1.00  
3 for 2.50



### GRAPEFRUIT SPOONS

Handsome, bamboo-handle spoons save preparation time by segmenting grapefruit, melon as you eat! No messy squirting! Serrated edges on sanitary stainless steel bowl.

6582 Spoons. Postpaid.

Set of 4, 1.25

### BRASS PATIO BELL

Gleaming, lacquered brass "caller" sounds a compelling "come and get it" for guests, family! Lucky black iron ponyshoe mounts it anywhere; rawhide pull thong sounds a far-reaching peal! 5¼" diam., 4½" high. Ppd.

8814 Bell.

3.95



8814  
3.95



### SELF POWERED Flower Fountain

Create dramatic arrangements in seconds with this floral fountain with built-in flower ring! Place this 4½ in. high fountain in your favorite dish or bowl and regular flashlight batteries pump the same water endlessly for hours. Fountain adjusts from a mere trickle to a 14" column. 6 ft. cord and easy-to-conceal lightweight power unit included. Use indoors or out. Batteries and bowl not included.

8952 Flower Fountain. Postpaid. 4.95



### 40 PLASTIC GARBAGE BAGS

They fit right into the standard kitchen step-on can to relieve you of the messiest of household chores! Forty 14x3x18" black plastic bags for many weeks of garbage disposal. Can't leak, rip or tear—won't drip as paper bags do! Eliminate all odors . . . when bag is full, merely remove, dispose of in your regular container outdoors.

6766 Garbage Bags. Postpaid. 79¢



### KILLS FLIES FAST!

New Fly Cake brings quick death to disease-bearing flies . . . perfected scientific discovery attracts them like magic. No fuss, no muss. Simply moisten Fly Cake and chemicals go to work. Can't taint food, clothing, furniture. Not harmful to pets or humans. Lasts an entire season. 4 cakes equal control power of 100 aerosol bombs! Postpaid.

8723 Single Fly Cake.

79¢

8724 Set of 4 Fly Cakes.

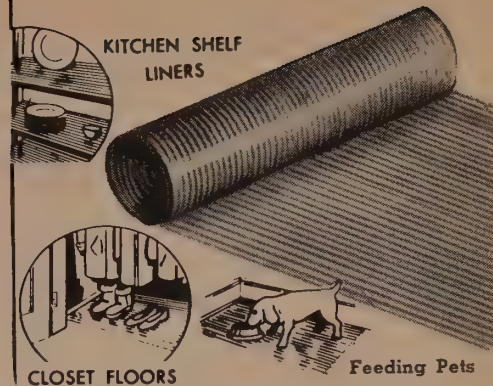
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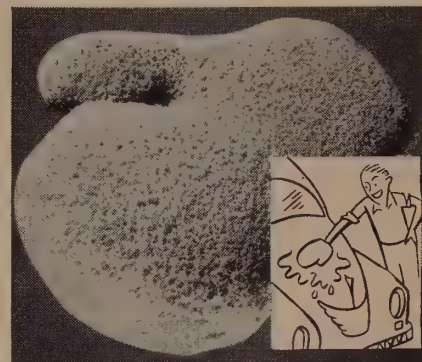
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35 for 1.00

70 for 1.95

100 for 2.75

500 for 13.00

### Earliest Blooming SNOW CROCUS

1706 (illus. in "Bookkeeper's Bonus.") Bright golden-yellow and lavender flowers that bring Spring to your garden weeks ahead of schedule. These exquisite blooms will poke through winter snows to provide a cheery spot of color. Very hardy. Will increase and come up for years. Mixed colors only.

20 for 1.00 40 for 1.95 100 for 4.75

4.75

### Breck's Famous Candelabra

4 to 6  
BLOOMS  
ON ONE STEM!

1570 Imagine! A whole bouquet on just one stem, and one that changes color, too! Each stem carries 4 to 6 large flowers open at once in a breath-taking arrangement. Blooms open soft, milky-white, then develop a delicate pink tint around the petal edges. Gradually the pink deepens to rose and slowly suffuses the whole flower. You will be thrilled by these day-to-day changes . . . by the gorgeous bouquets you can pick from a few bulbs . . . by the remarks of your friends as they see these unique flowers for the first time! May-flowering, 20 in.

5 for 1.00 10 for 1.95 25 for 4.85

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## Dutch Treat SPRING GARDEN

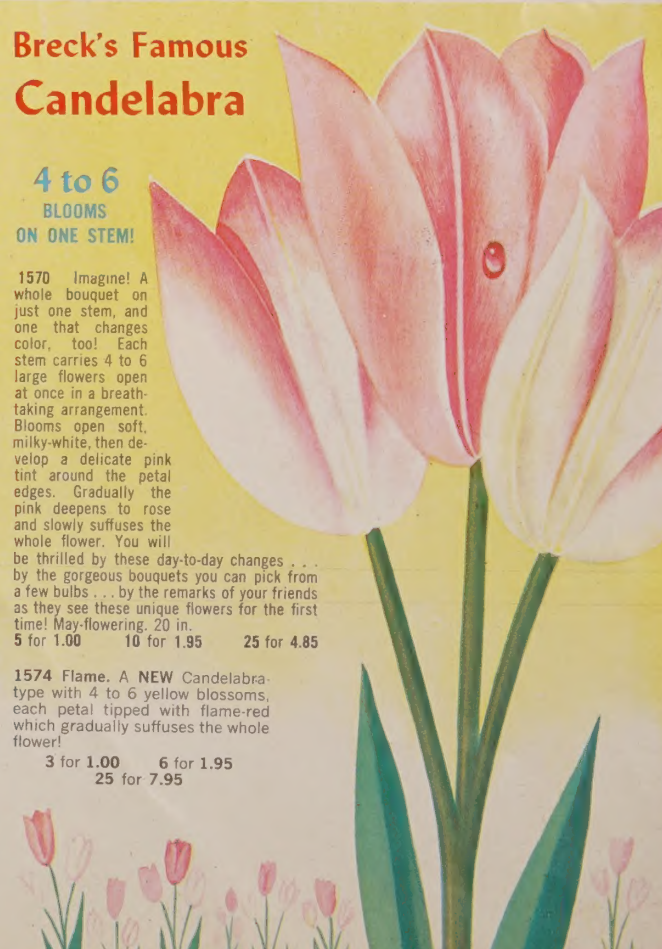
### Introduction to Spring!



Breck's experts have chosen this "Dutch Treat" Spring Garden with the greatest care, to show you how many weeks of gorgeous color may be had for a modest sum. "Dutch Treat" contains 24 assorted Early-to-Late Tulips, 4 Hyacinths, 5 Daffodils, 3 Spring Glory Scillas, 6 Grape Hyacinths, 12 Crocus, 4 Glories of the Snow, 4 Snowdrops, 3 Dutch Orchid Iris PLUS 1 new, specially wrapped, mystery Tulip! 66 bulbs in all for weeks and months of color and fragrance.

Do you have friends who don't know the beauties of early Spring flowers? "Dutch Treat" is the perfect gift for them . . . and Breck's will share the cost with you! Buy one Dutch Treat for only \$4.44 — then buy as many more as you wish, for only \$3.88 each! Think of the years of Springtime pleasure you can give for this small investment.

1518 Dutch Treat Collection 4.44  
Additional collections ordered at same time, sent to same address. only 3.88





SCOTCH LASSIE

## Breck's 1961 Advance Bulb Sale

### Selected Giant TULIPS!

1566 SCOTCH LASSIE. Pure deep lavender with deeper shadings inside dark blue base. Large goblet-shaped flowers with graceful reflexed petals. Gorgeous with Yellow Emperor. 29 in.  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95  
50 for 4.85; 250 for 22.95

1564 RED MATADOR. New hybrid. Huge, brilliant scarlet flowers on 26 in. stems, early and long lasting. Each giant-size bloom, with graceful out-swept petal form, is an eye-catcher!  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95  
50 for 4.85; 250 for 22.95

YELLOW EMPEROR

PRINCESS ELIZABETH

1559 PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Beautiful, clear rosy pink with deeper shadings inside. White and blue base adds glamour to this huge flower. Stem is strong, stands 28 in. tall.  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95  
50 for 4.85; 250 for 22.95

1562 QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. Finest of all "black" Tulips! Rich, deep maroon, purple of especially beautiful tone. Huge, velvety blooms on long, strong stems, always attracts attention; especially showy with Carrara. 29 in.  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95  
50 for 4.85; 250 for 22.95

These Tulips are selected after years of testing for color, size of bloom and growth. All bulbs are top-quality, of course. Shipped directly to you from Breck's Holland bulb fields, they reach you in the very peak of condition, ready to produce big, gorgeous blooms.

#### May-Flowering Collections

1508 18 Bulbs (unlabelled), 3 of each Tulip illustrated: Carrara, Princess Elizabeth, Queen of the Night, Red Matador, Scotch Lassie, Yellow Emperor.  
36 Bulbs (2 Collections) 3.55

1<sup>85</sup>

1509 60 Bulbs (separately labelled), 10 each of the 6 varieties illustrated.  
120 Bulbs (2 Collections) 11.25

5<sup>85</sup>

#### \* BRECK'S 1960 "KEUKENHOF" COLLECTION

1514 These six super Tulips (each identified with a ★) so impressed Breck's bulb experts, when they toured Holland's famous Keukenhof display gardens, that we offer them to you as a collection — and at a very special price! 5 bulbs each of the six super Tulips — Holland's Glory, Venitian Sunset, Blue Ice, Queen of the Night, Blue Parrot, Mount Tacoma.  
30 Bulbs (separately labelled)  
60 Bulbs (2 Collections) 8.15

4<sup>25</sup>

#### LONG-SEASON TULIP GARDEN

1506 It's Tulip time — all through April and May! These Tulips open at intervals, giving you the longest Tulip season you've ever enjoyed. 10 Early Giant, 10 Parrot, 10 Single Early, 10 Star-Flowered, 10 May-Flowering! And FREE with this assortment, 10 English Wood Hyacinths to bloom with the May-Flowering Tulips.  
60 Bulbs including 10 FREE  
120 Bulbs (2 Collections) 10.85

5<sup>65</sup>

#### BRECK'S FAVORITE TULIP COLLECTION

1515 5 bulbs each of 10 top May-Flowering Tulips selected by Breck's experts for color and size. Each variety separately bagged and labelled. Priced lower than many mixtures!  
50 Leading May-Flowering Tulips. Our Selection for only 100 Bulbs (2 Collections) for only 8.95

4<sup>65</sup>

#### DELUXE MIXTURE

1530 Absolutely the finest money can buy, without getting into high-priced Hybrids. A complete assortment of gorgeous colors, all long-stemmed, large-flowered kinds. Would cost far more if purchased by variety.  
50 for only 4.75; 100 for 8.95; 250 for 21.00

4<sup>75</sup>  
for 50

For beautiful border planting . . .

#### ECONOMY TULIP MIXTURE

1532 Plant a rainbow of color for Spring! A very special mixture for those who want large beds of borders of colorful Tulips — at minimum cost. All favorite shades — red, pink, lavender, yellow, violet and white in correct proportions. Many leading varieties where the somewhat smaller flowers are offset by the mass of blooms.  
100 for 6<sup>95</sup>  
250 for 16.95; 500 for 32.95

#### Star of Holland

1722 Scilla Star of Holland. A brilliant blue for your Spring garden — woven from hundreds of delicate flowers of the giant Scilla! They bloom early each Spring, multiply rapidly. Every bulb has many 5 in. stems, covered with dainty 5-petaled blooms. Plant with Red Emperor Tulip or Daffodils to make marvelous contrasts or use for dainty edgings.  
20 for 1.00; 40 for 1.95  
100 for 4.75

#### Early Snowdrops

1710 Single Snowdrops. Winter snows hold no terrors for these amazing little white teardrops. Each bulb sends up several 4 to 5 in. stems topped by pure, snowwhite, drooping bell-shaped flowers, each petal tipped with bright green. They pop into bloom as soon as the snow melts and are absolutely hardy, multiplying rapidly to form a solid carpet of white.  
20 for 1.00; 40 for 1.95  
100 for 4.75

#### Grecian Windflower

1702 Anemone Blanda Mixed. Brightly colored, daisy-like flowers — up to 2 in. across — bring earliest Spring bloom to your garden! They flower even before Crocus, last for months. Large flowers — in bright shades of blue, pink and white — and fern-like foliage are perfect for edgings, rock gardens, under shrubs or evergreens, or any garden spot where they get sun. Plant in masses. Perfectly hardy; increase rapidly; last for years. Height 5 in.  
15 for 1.00; 30 for 1.95  
100 for 6.35

1700 Anemone Blanda Blue. Same as above, but all flowers are vivid Gentian-blue color.  
14 for 1.00; 28 for 1.95  
100 for 6.75

As low 9<sup>6</sup>/<sub>10</sub> in lots of 100

RED EMPEROR

WHITE EMPEROR

OPENS UP TO 9" ACROSS

OPENS UP TO 9" ACROSS

NEW

#### Royal Palace Spring Garden

1504 Earliest blooming combination: includes 10 Red Emperor Tulips, 3 White Emperor Tulips, 7 Breck's Colossal Daffodils and 20 Blue Grape Hyacinths.  
40 bulbs (all labelled) 3.35  
80 bulbs (2 Collections) 6.45

#### RED EMPEROR

The World's LARGEST and EARLIEST Tulip!

1500 Wherever you go in the early Spring, you will see and hear about Red Emperors. People plant them by the hundreds for spectacular effects. Yes, here's a gorgeous Tulip that actually blooms before the Crocus fade, with the Daffodils and Hyacinths . . . the only tall, large Tulip to flower so early! Massed in beds, grouped in the garden or arranged indoors, they create unusual excitement. Red Emperor is a masterpiece of brilliancy, grace and size. The color is a spectacular fluorescent vermilion-scarlet that glows in sunshine. They open dinner-plate size to reveal a richer hue of scarlet and a glowing yellow base, ringed with black. Huge 9 in. blooms on 15 in. stems with robust foliage. Breck's Red Emperors are top-quality re-selected stock . . . guaranteed true to name. They are the finest bulbs you can buy anywhere . . . and grown especially for Breck's.

Low, Low Price! Red Emperor - 10 for 1.00, 20 for 1.95, 50 for 4.85  
100 for 9.50. 250 for 22.95

BLUE PARROT★

SUNSHINE

### Giant Parrot Tulips!

1590 HOLLAND'S FINEST MIXTURE — Breck's Special blend of Holland's most spectacular Parrot Tulips. Rare new colors, new forms, unusual varieties. Especially selected for outstanding colors. Feathered, fringed shapes.  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95; 50 for 4.85

1580 BLUE PARROT★ Huge, clear amethyst-blue flowers with curiously fringed and curled petals that never fade or burn! Flowers are 5 to 6 in. across, the longest-lasting of all Parrots! A fascinating stand-out, unusual for interest, color, charm! Strong 29-in. stems.  
10 for 1.00; 20 for 1.95; 50 for 4.85

1582 BLACK PARROT. Gorgeous ebony-black, overlaid maroon; petals fringed and feathered. Most striking of the "black" Tulips because of its amazing shape. 26 in.  
8 for 1.00; 16 for 1.95; 50 for 5.95

1584 DISCOVERY Immense flower of rich, old rose, etched and frosted silver and white. A flower of remarkable substance. 8 to 10 in. across when open. 27 in.  
7 for 1.00; 14 for 1.95; 50 for 6.75

1586 SUNSHINE. Clearest, brightest golden-yellow — enormous size. Petal edges cut and fringed, with characteristic parrot-green markings. Brings weeks of sunshine to your garden. 20 in.  
6 for 1.00; 12 for 1.95; 50 for 7.85

1588 PARROT WONDER. Largest of the Parrot Tulips! Tremendous flower of bright carmine-red! Fantastically fringed and feathered petals, often touched with soft green veining. Tall, strong, 23-in. stems.  
6 for 1.00; 12 for 1.95; 50 for 7.85

#### COLLECTION

1511 25 Bulbs (5 each of the 5 varieties listed) . . . separately labelled. 2.95  
50 Bulbs (2 collections), 10 of each variety. 5.75

### New! WHITE EMPEROR!

1501 White Emperor's huge, 9-inch glistening-white flowers, on strong 16-inch stems, open just before the famous Red Emperor reaches its peak of perfection. They are in full bloom together and they create a spectacle that must be seen to be believed!

As big, as beautiful and as brilliant. White Emperor is a fitting companion for its red namesake.

Breck's experts have been watching the marvelous beauty of White Emperor for some time now, waiting until bulb stocks could be increased to supply the tremendous demand that will follow the introduction of this outstanding Tulip. We know that all home gardeners will want to see this color combination in full bloom . . . right in their own gardens. Don't delay—reserve your supply today!

3 for 1.00; 6 for 1.95  
25 for 7.95

Sale ends July 15, 1961—Order Now!

NEW

### Peppermint Sticks

1599 Dainty, miniature Peppermint Stick Tulips — a rare and unique wild species, discovered originally in Asia Minor — have smaller blooms than standard Tulips. They are just right for edgings, rock gardens or in front of evergreens and are so attractive, you'll wonder why everyone doesn't grow them.

Each long, pointed petal shows a wide triangle of bright, cherry-red on a white background. Inside is a delicate, satin-ivory with a striking, purple-violet base. The whole effect is one of soft loveliness that resembles fine bone china, yet every flower is strong and long lasting. Stems are 12-14 inches tall.

Peppermint Stick, being a wild Tulip, should be planted in a permanent location, where it can grow and multiply for years. Even the bulbs do not look like ordinary Tulips — being quite small and wearing fleece-lined overcoats — but they should be planted 4 inches deep in a sunny location.

7 for 1.00; 14 for 1.95  
50 for 6.75

The Daintiest Tulip Grown!

### ARTIST

1540 A breathtaking May-flowering Tulip that combines green, rose and gold in one big, gorgeously beautiful flower on a 20 in. stem. Petals are wide, pointed and curve into graceful wing-like shapes. Order early — we know this will be a sell-out!  
3 for 1.00; 6 for 1.95; 25 for 7.95

SPECIAL

ARTIST

### BLUE ICE★

1544 NEW! Cool as an ice cube! Huge sparkling-white flowers with a broad icy-blue edge that spreads gradually to cover about half of each petal. An outstanding new Tulip in a completely new color, chosen by Breck's experts from among thousands in Holland's "Keukenhof" display gardens. 30 in.  
5 for 1.00; 10 for 1.95; 25 for 4.85

BLUE ICE★

### GREENLAND

1550 A new and most unusual color combination that might well be the beginning of a new family of Tulips. Big, soft rosy-pink flowers, with a broad, dark-green "flame" on each petal and tall, strong 24-in. stems put Greenland in a class all by itself! Bulbs are scarce — please order early!  
1.00 ea., 3 for 2.50; 6 for 4.50

GREENLAND

SELECTED, HEALTHY BULBS DIRECT FROM BRECK'S FIELDS IN HOLLAND!

### Enormous Double Blooms!

PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

Look like true Peonies! Huge, brilliantly colored flowers held straight and strong on 16 to 20 in. stems. Gorgeous for bouquets. Late May blooming.

1609 MT. TACOMA★. Huge, snowy-white with creamy shadings. This one is a must!  
1611 NIZZA. Striking combination of yellow feathered with deep crimson markings.  
1605 EROS. Bright, satiny-rose with soft silver tints. Incurving, feathered petals.  
1607 LIVINGSTONE. Dazzling cherry-red that really glows in the sunlight.  
All of Above 8 for 100 16 for 1.95 50 for 5.95

1614 MIXED PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS. A glorious, hand-selected mixture of the varieties listed above, plus many others to give you a rainbow of gorgeous colors. Every one a real Peony flower . . . in colors that Peonies never knew!  
8 for 1.00 16 for 1.95 50 for 5.95

1513 A collection of the four choicest varieties. III. in color below!  
EROS LIVINGSTONE MT. TACOMA NIZZA  
20 Bulbs (5 each of 4 labelled) 2.65  
2 Collections, 40 Bulbs . . . save even more! 5.10

MT. TACOMA★

Order now — pay later!

LIVINGSTONE

### PEACOCK TULIPS

1593 Rare and unusual new hybrids bring gaiety and sparkle to your Spring garden! These varicolor Tulips are as proud as popular Daffodils to create brilliant spots of red, yellow, pink and orange with contrasting markings will make them the talk of your garden. When fully open, they show an entirely new set of inside markings. 8 to 10 in. high, they have curiously marked foliage that adds excitement and charm. They bloom with the ever-lovely and ever-popular Daffodil to create brilliant spots of color. They are at home in the rock garden or formal border. Easy to grow, they increase their numbers and give you more and more blooms year after year!

6 for 1.00  
12 for 1.95  
50 for 7.85

SPECIAL

PEACOCK TULIPS

EROS

NIZZA



## Miniature Roses

### GROW AND BLOOM INDOORS



Dainty miniature roses, right on your own window sill, all winter long! Perfect, jewel-like miniatures of the big garden roses, with flowers no larger than a quarter in three enchanting colors—Cinderella (snow white), Red Imp (bright red), Bo-Peep (clear pink). Fascinating, easy-to-grow plants that produce perfect miniature flowers for arrangements, corsages, or as colorful pot plants. Move the plants to the garden in May if you wish. They are perfectly hardy and at home as edgings, borders or in rock gardens. They grow and bloom just like the large roses but everything is in miniature.

Complete growing kit  
for only

**7<sup>95</sup>** postpaid  
order group no. 4173

Breck's Miniature Rose Growing Kit consists of 3 healthy dormant roses—3 pots and growing material—water-tight tray, sub-irrigating mat and rose food. All you need to grow lovely Roses all winter long. Also see page 72.



## Breck's Caladiums

**1092 SUMMER SNOW.** Frosty white with contrasting dark green veining. Very effective in shady places. Large, vigorous bulbs.

3 for 1.65; 10 for 5.00; 25 for 11.40.

**1094 MIXED COLORS.** Pink, red, green and white combinations.

3 for 1.50; 10 for 4.50; 25 for 10.25

(see page 63 for complete descriptions.)



**1344**  
**True Pink Lily**  
Ea. 75c;  
3 for 2.00  
See p. 64

## Oriental Collection

Two of America's Favorite Lilies . . . Originally from the Orient. Hardy New England grown bulbs, of course!

Special Offer, 3 Bulbs of Each,  
Separately Labeled

ORDER NO. 1324 6 Bulbs in all

A 4.00 VALUE FOR ONLY

**3<sup>25</sup>**



**1359 Peruvian Daffodils**  
Ea. 75c; 3 for 2.00

(See page 63 for these and other interesting Summer bulbs)

## Big Luscious Strawberries!

**RED RICH**—the strawberry supreme. See p. 70.

**4103** 25 for 5.00; 50 for 8.50

(Wt. 3 lbs. per 25 plants.)

**red rich**  
EVERBEARING



**1340**  
**Regal Lily**  
Ea. 75c; 3 for 2.00  
See p. 64

## Year 'round Holly Trees!

Real American Holly to brighten your garden and provide your home with Christmas decorations! Hardy from Massachusetts southward, they grow in beauty and value every year. Sturdy, branched 9 to 12 in. plants . . . marked to show sex . . . selected for your location. Offered in groups of female (berry bearing) plants and 1 male plant for pollination. See p. 72 also.

3 plants (1 male,  
2 female)  
**4183 HOLLY**  
5 lbs.

**6<sup>95</sup>**

6 plants (1 male,  
5 female)  
**4184 HOLLY**  
10 lbs.  
12.95





# Hardy! Everblooming 3-Way ROSES

- Actually withstands 15° below zero!
- Grow them tall or grow them short!
- Big, brilliant blooms all Summer long!
- Guaranteed by Breck's for 5 years!

Here's something *NEW* and *DIFFERENT* in Roses! A three-way Rose that lets you change your landscape ideas any time. Either way, you get big, colorful, fragrant blooms all summer long. Grow them as Hybrid Teas . . . as big specimen shrubs . . . or as everblooming climbers. Plenty of flowers the first year and many, many more after they are established. Hardy too! Sub-zero Roses have survived 35° and 40° below zero — as low as 15° below zero with no protection whatsoever.

← Here they are growing as everblooming climbers.

**SUB ZERO**

★ Developed by the  
World Famous  
Brownell Rose  
Research Gardens!

4166 Rhode Island Pink ©

**3 for  
9<sup>95</sup>**

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NO. 4168

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4167 Rhode Island Yellow ©

Single  
Colors

**4<sup>00</sup>**  
each

3 for **9<sup>95</sup>**